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DEUTSCHLAND IS SAFE AT SEA SO FAR AS IS KNOWN

Is Not Believed She Experienced Slightest Difficulty in Evading Enemy Warships.

THEY ARE STILL WATCHING

Captain Hinsch Tells of the Submarine's Trip Out to the Three-Mile Limit.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 3.—So far as is known here tonight the Deutschland is safely at sea on her way to Bremen, after successfully running through the patrol of allied cruisers off the Virginia capes. The war vessels still were in sight of observers on shore today, apparently unaware of the departure of the big sub-sea liner.

It is not believed that the Deutschland experienced the slightest difficulty in evading the cruisers. Captain Hinsch, of the war-bound German liner Neckar, who directed the departure of the submarine, said today that the under water freighter passed unobserved within one hundred yards of a United States destroyer on neutrality duty about a mile off the capes.

"Where we came to a stop at a point in the bay I shall not disclose because we probably shall have to use the place again," said Captain Hinsch.

"The pilot aboard the submarine was taken off to the Thomas F. Timmins, our tug. It was then about 5 o'clock in the morning. The submarine was submerged, so that her machinery and pumps could be tested and the cargo be trimmed should that be necessary. She went down in a deep hole in the bay to a depth of 135 feet, remaining there for some time.

"When she came to the surface again, Captain Koenig came up through the conning tower and said that everything was working perfectly. That pleased us, I can tell you. We had thought we might have to re-arrange some things, after it was seen how the Deutschland worked in salt water. The tests in the dock at Baltimore were in fresh water, as you know.

"The trial completed, we started off down the bay and when no traffic was in sight the Deutschland took another dive while running. She went down until only four inches of her periscope was showing above the water. Then I dropped behind to see at what distance the wake of the Deutschland or the foam crest of the periscope could be seen. At 400 yards with glasses I could not see a thing.

In Perfect Condition.

"The tests having proved that the Deutschland was in perfect condition, we went into a place to hide for a while. We were well hidden, too. Any one would have had great difficulty in finding us.

"In the afternoon we started for the capes and you know how the better part of the trip was made. The destroyer was passed in the dark. As soon as the men on the bridge sighted the lights of the Timmins, they watched us closely and looked all around for the submarine which passed them at a distance of only a hundred yards.

"Later when I reported to the destroyer that the Deutschland had clear the capes and was on her way to sea the officers aboard seemed most surprised. They had not observed her at all. So you see that the British and French cruisers off shore hadn't the slightest chance of finding the Deutschland."

Captain Hinsch added that after the officers and members of the crew had given three cheers for America, he heard Captain Koenig give the order "Diving stations." At that time the vessels were about a mile off the capes.

Light Suddenly Disappears.

The submarine increased her speed then, and the men aboard the Timmins, which had stopped, watched her as she sped for the open sea. A mile away all her lights suddenly disappeared. Captain Hinsch said he knew the vessel submerged at that time, when a mile inside the three-mile limit.

He added it would be unwise for him to disclose whether the vessel went up or down the coast before striking out to sea, or whether she steered an easterly course straight out.

Captain Hinsch returned to Baltimore tonight, leaving the Timmins in Norfolk with instructions to pick up a tow for Baltimore if one could be secured within a day or so. If no tow is available the tug, he said, will go back to Baltimore anyhow.

In response to questions regarding the prospects of the Bremen, sister ship to the Deutschland, arriving in American waters, Captain Hinsch said:

"You can depend upon it that if the Bremen was coming in the near future, I would not be returning to Baltimore and neither would the Timmins."

He declined to say when the Bremen was expected, but indicated that he knew.

INTERNED SAILORS CELEBRATE DEUTSCHLAND'S SAFE GET-AWAY

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 3.—The officers and crews of the German cruisers, Prinz Eitel Friedrich and Kronprinz Wilhelm, interned at the local navy yard, this afternoon royally celebrated the clean get-away of the under-sea merchantman Deutschland. Capt. Hans Hinsch, of the German ship Neckar, interned at Baltimore, who directed the sailing of the Deutschland, was the guest of honor and made the principal address. Captain Koenig and crew were toasted and cheered. The celebration was held on the Prinz Eitel.

TERRORISM OF THE BRITISH INCREASED

Admiral Holtzendorff Says This is Result of German Navy's "Victory" Off Jutland.

IN INTEREST OF NEUTRALS

Declares, in Referring to Fayatt's Execution, That Enemy Merchantmen Have Many Times Violated Law of Nations.

Berlin, via London, August 3. — "The naval warfare of the second year of war, which evidently a spirit of revenge forced upon Germany and her allies, has passed, the chief impressions left by it being increased British naval terrorism and the battle of the Skagerrak," says Admiral Von Holtzendorff, chief of the naval general staff, in a statement to the Associated Press today, making public an account of the material results of the second twelve months of the war from a naval standpoint.

"The neutral powers in 1916," Admiral von Holtzedorff continues, "were throttled more than in the first year by the sea power of England, and hindered in the justified exercise of their commerce, postal rights, etc., by threats and violence. The victory of the German fleet over the British, May 31 and June 1, therefore, was in the interest of all the neutrals, and all those who are dependent on the freedom of the seas."

The naval year closed with the execution of the sea captain Fayatt the chief topic of discussion. This is not regarded by Germany as an isolated case, but as Germany's answer to what is termed the doctrine of armed merchantmen adopted by Great Britain even before the war, and to alleged immediatities of which, according to the German claims, Great Britain has repeatedly been guilty during the war. For this reason, an important place in the review furnished the Associated Press on Admiral von Holtzendorff's instructions is taken up in a recapitulation of alleged violations of international law charged against British ships.

"While in the first year of the war," says the statement, "twenty proved violations of the Law of Nations by enemy merchantmen (firing upon German submarines, attempts to ram, etc.,) occurred, 38 such cases were reported in the second year. Merchantmen owned by the Allies, therefore, during the two years violated in the grossest manner the rules of international law, no less than 58 times against our submarines. This can be proved up to the hilt.

"The warships of Germany's enemies during the war have violated the Law of Nations in three particularly extreme cases, namely the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, the Dresden and the Albatross. Two cases, the Baralong and the King Stephen, must be characterized not only as violations of the

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CHILD LABOR BILL IS TAKEN UP BY SENATE

Only Southern Senators Are Opposed to the Measure.

Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, Tells His Colleagues There is Strong Sentiment in Favor of the Bill in the South.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The Senate late today began consideration of the bill to prevent interstate commerce in the products of child labor. The measure was restored to a place on the legislative programme for this session at the request of President Wilson after the Democratic caucus once had decided to let it go over until December. Southern Democrats are the only opponents of the measure which will be kept before the Senate until its passage.

Senator Robinson, in presenting the bill on behalf of the commerce committee, told his Southern colleagues there was a strong sentiment in favor of it in their states. He read extracts from newspapers in North and South Carolina, Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Texas favoring child labor legislation.

Answering contentions that the proposed act would effect an unconstitutional transgression of the right of the states, the Arkansas senator declared that under the decision of the Supreme Court the power of Congress to regulate commerce is complete and absolute except as limited by the constitution itself; that the only limitation is the Fifth amendment, which provides that no person shall be deprived of life, property or liberty without due process of law; that the 14th amendment to the constitution imposes the same limitation on the states as is imposed by the Fifth amendment on the Federal government, and that "if the states in the exercise of the police power can suppress evils of child labor, Congress through its power to regulate commerce can promote the same end by denying the channels of commerce to persons and enterprises in the interest of the public health, morals and safety."

Senator Robinson asserted that Congress could do indirectly a great many

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PROGRESSIVES TO PERPETUATE PARTY AS NATIONAL BODY

WASHINGTON D.C. LIBRARY of CONGRESS

Will Put Out Electoral Ticket in States Where Nucleus of Organization is Left.

NO PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE

Leaders in Conference Decide It is Impractical to Reassemble National Committee.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 3.—Plans for the reorganization and perpetuation of the Progressive party as a National political organization were adopted here tonight at a conference of Bull Moose representatives. The conference after a heated discussion decided it would be impractical to reassemble the Progressive National Committee and fill the vacancy on the National ticket caused by Theodore Roosevelt's declination of the nomination for President.

Instead, the organization will put up an electoral ticket in every state where there is the nucleus of an organization left, bearing the name of John M. Parker, of Louisiana, nominee for vice president in the hope of perhaps electing enough presidential electors who might prove the balance of power in the event of a close contest between the two parties. Among the states in which this plan will be carried out are:

Louisiana, Maryland, Indiana, Missouri, Wisconsin, Michigan, Utah, North Dakota and Minnesota.

J. A. H. Hopkins, of New Jersey, was chosen treasurer of the rehabilitated Bull Moose party and Matthew Hale, of Massachusetts, vice chairman of the national committee, will be in active charge of the campaign.

An executive committee of 15 members will be named by Vice Chairman Hale to co-operate with the 15 members of the National committee who refused to vote for the endorsement of Charles E. Hughes, at Chicago, in rehabilitating the party.

This plan may include some kind of an amalgamation with the Prohibition, Socialist and Woman's parties.

A statement, issued by the conference tonight addressed to the "Progressives of the country," reviewed the actiin taken here and said it was the sens of the conference that the action of the individual Progressives on the presidency should be left to their individual judgment and conscience.

The statement charges that "men whom we have delighted to honor and whom we have rejoiced to follow have not only abandoned the party's cause, but have sought to sacrifice its future and to compromise the dignity of the individual membership by a collusive undertaking with the Republican par-

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WARNS AGAINST UNDUE ACTIVITY IN POLITICS

Secretary McAdoo Sends Circular to Treasury Officials.

Among Other Things They Are Warned Against Holding Office on Soliciting Committees or in Conventions.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Secretary McAdoo today issued a warning to the Treasury Department's officials throughout the country against undue political activity. His announcement says officials must not use their influence to coerce political action, discriminate between employes or applicants for positions, solicit or receive contributions or hold office on soliciting committees or in conventions.

The circular, which is addressed to all officers in the Treasury Department holding any presidential appointment, follows:

"Presidential appointees are forbidden by statute to use their official authority or influence to coerce the political action of any person or body, to make any contribution for a political object to any other officer of the United States or to solicit or receive contributions for political purposes or to discriminate among their employes or applicants for political reasons.

"Otherwise a presidential appointee will be allowed to take such a part in political campaigns as is taken by any private citizen except that he will not be permitted—

"To hold any position as a member or officer of any political committee that solicits funds.

"To display such obtrusive partisanship as to cause public scandal.

"To attempt to manipulate party primaries or conventions.

"To use his position to bring about his selection as a delegate to conventions.

"To act as chairman of a political convention.

"To assume the active conduct of a political campaign.

"To use his position to interfere with an election or to affect the result thereof.

"To neglect his public duties.

"It is not intended that government service shall curtail or interfere with the exercise of a person's civic rights and duties as a citizen."

TO TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT A STRIKE

Federal Officials Will Try to Effect Agreement Between Railroads and Employees.

PRESIDENT WILSON ACTIVE

Senate Commerce Committee to Decide Whether Commerce Commission Will Investigate the Labor Situation.

Washington, Aug. 3.—While the strike vote of 400,000 employes was being counted in New York, every agency of the Federal government affected by the situation was preparing today to do all possible to avert a final break between the railroads and the workmen.

William L. Chambers, commissioner of the board of Mediation and Conciliation, was in communication with President Wilson during the day, though board officials pointed out that nothing of a formal character could be done until the railroad managers and representatives of the employes resumed negotiations next week.

A call was issued for a meeting tomorrow morning of the Senate Commerce committee to decide whether hearings will be held on Chairman Newlands' resolution proposing an investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission of hours of labor on railroads and urging the employers and employes to postpone a settlement of their differences until a report can be made. Hours of labor constitutes one of the chief causes of the threatened strike.

The Chamber of Commerce of the United States, which yesterday appealed to President Wilson for Federal intervention to prevent a strike, is considering calling a conference of representatives of commercial organizations to impress on Congress the necessity of taking some immediate step.

The President late today designated G. W. W. Hanger, assistant commissioner of the board of mediation and conciliation, as a member of the board. The law stiplates that there shall be three members but Judge Martin A. Knapp, chairman, and William L. Chambers, commissioner, have served alone since the board was formed.

Judge Knapp and Mr. Chambers asked the President to increase the membership because the work of the board already has become great and the threatened railroad strike has added to the necessity of having another member.

Administration officials said everything possible would be done to avert a strike. If all other steps fail, it is probable President Wilson will make a personal appeal to the railroad managers and the employes urging them to effect a settlement in the interest of the public. The question may be discussed at tomorrow's cabinet meeting.

President Wilson asked Commissioner Chambers to come to the White House tonight and talk over prospects for a settlement of the differences between the railroads and their employes but because the commissioner had another engagement the conference was postponed until tomorrow. It is understood they will go over the whole situation carefully then.

NEARLY ALL OF BALLOTS SO FAR COUNTED FAVOR STRIKE

New York, Aug. 3.—Seventy-five per cent. of the ballots cast by more than 400,000 railroad employes in the United States on a vote on a general strike had not been counted by the special board of tellers in this city this afternoon. Timothy Shea, assistant president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, in charge, declared that of these 300,000 almost all favored a strike. The count probably will not be completed until next Monday.

A. B. Garretson, president of the Order of Railway Conductors, and W. N. Lee, of the Trainmen's organization, arrived here tonight and it is expected that conferences to those of the National Railway committee will be held to determine a course of action for the joint meeting Tuesday.

SWITCHMEN ARE DEMANDING BETTER WORKING CONDITIONS

New York, August 3.—Demands of approximately 30,000 members of the Switchmen's Union of North America for increased wages and shorter hours, made in Chicago in March, are being discussed in this city by representatives of the union and the railroads affected, it was learned tonight. The conference, which has been in progress more than a week, is private.

Nineteen railroads are represented at the conference, including the New York Central, the Baltimore and Ohio and the Rock Island.

START CAMPAIGN URGING CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—A national campaign among all railroad employes not comprised in the four brotherhoods who are voting on a strike was started today to obtain legislation by Congress to empower somebody to settle all disputes as to wages between railroads

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE

Met at 10 a. m.

Passed District of Columbia appropriation bill carrying $13,600,000.

Adopted Conference report on Agricultural bill.

Took up Child Labor bill.

Recessed at 6:30 p. m. until 10 a. m. Friday.

HOUSE

No session. Meets Friday.

Naval conferees resumed hearings on proposed personnel changes in navy bill.

THIRTY-SIX LIVES LOST AS RESULT OF A CLOUDBURST

Blair's Creek Valley, in Middlesboro, Ky., Section, Flooded to Depth of Many Feet

ENTIRE FAMILIES DROWNED

Everything Along the Creek Has Been Washed Away—Only Four Bodies Recovered.

Middlesboro, Ky., Aug. 3.—The death list due to the flood which followed a cloudburst in the Blair's Creek valley late last night stood at 36, several entire families, in each of which there were a number of children, having been drowned. The water is subsiding very slowly and until the creek is again within its banks, the full extent of its ravages will not be known.

So far only four bodies have been found. Everything along Blair's Creek has been washed away. In some places the water has run up on the mountain side 30 feet.

D. C. Edmonds, whose wife and four children were drowned, escaped after being washed for five miles among driftwood. Two of Edmond's children were found alive on drift timber three miles from home. Edmonds said he was awakened at 3 o'clock this morning by the roaring of the flood. Water was all around his house, and a foot deep on the floor. Before he could awaken his family, the building was moved from its foundation and started downstream.

GREAT BRITAIN SHUTS OUT TOBACCO FROM NEUTRAL PORTS

In All Cases Where it Might Possibly Reach Germany.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., August 3. — Secretary of State Lansing has been informed by the British government that no more tobacco will be allowed to enter Holland, Sweden or any other neutral port where it will be possible for the commodity to reach Germany.

Through the efforts of Senators Simmons, of North Carolina, and James, of Kentucky, and Representative Byrnes, of Tennessee, who last October filed a brief with the State Department showing the injustice of the Allies' former order excluding American tobacco from these countries, the Allies withdrew their former order. But now it is proposed to go back to the former order, which will exclude all tobacco going into these countries and will seriously interfere with the exportation of tobacco from American markets. In fact, it practically cuts off all shipments across the ocean, except what little the Allies may need for their own use.

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THOUSANDS IN DUPLIN HEAR HON. T. W. BICKETT

In Thrilling Address at Confederate Veterans' Reunion

Pays Glowing Tribute to the Soldiers and the Women of the Confederacy—Civil War Was Necessary, He Says.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kenansville, N. C., Aug. 3 (via Warsaw).—Several thousand people from all over Duplin county gathered here today to do honor to the Confederate Veterans at their annual reunion and to hear Hon. T. W. Bickett speak. The exercises began with an overture from the Rose Hill band, followed by the address of welcome by Steadman Sloan, of Kenansville. Mr. H. L. Stevens, of Warsaw, then introduced the orator of the occasion, Hon. T. W. Bickett.

Mr. Bickett's address from start to finish was well worth hearing. For more than an hour he held the attention of the crowded court room, where the exercises were held, while he paid tribute to the veterans present and to their comrades dead, in one of the finest addresses that many present had ever heard. Mr. Bickett reviewed the war record of the soldiers. The speaker advanced the thought that the War Between the States was not without reason, that it was necessary and inevitable, that it might have been postponed but never averted; that had it not been fought in the sixties it would have been fought in the nineties. He spoke of our debt to the veterans in fighting the war for us.

Mr. Bickett said that the Southern states not only thought that they were right in fighting for their rights; they were right; and cited quotations from writers of France, Germany, England, and from Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, to prove it. He read a letter from General Lee, the "knightliest Christian soldier that the world has ever known," to Governor Vance, acknowledging the valor of the North Carolina soldiers.

He said that Stonewall Jackson should be ranked with Napoleon, Washington and the other of the world's greatest soldiers.

Mr. Bickett touched on the wisdow of

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COUNTER ATTACKS BY GERMANS FAIL

British Repulse All the Assaults Against Their Lines in the Delville Wood.

NONE OF FRONTS CHANGED

Russians in the Caucasus Region Carry Out Bayonet Attack Against the Turks, Taking Three Hundred Prisoners.

Thursday passed in all the war theatres without notable gains for any of the belligerents. In the Stokhod region of Russia violent fighting continued between the Russians and the Austro-Germans, while the Germans' counter attacked against the British in the Delville Wood sector in France, all of which were repulsed, and bombardments characterized the operations in France.

Battles also took place along the Sereth and Dniester rivers in Galicia between the Russians and the Teutons, while in the Caucasus region the Russians near Diarbekr carried out a bayonet attack against the Turks which resulted in the capture of a Turkish work and some 300 prisoners and guns.

In the Trevannanzes valley of the Austro-Italian theatre the Italians have made fresh progress against the Austro-Hungarians. In the Adige valley in the Upper Posina region and in the district of Cortina d'Ampezzo the Austrians are bombarding Italian positions.

BERLIN TELLS OF BRITISH ATTACKS BREAKING DOWN

Berlin, (via London), Aug. 3.—The German official statement today says:

"Western front: North of the Somme, a strong preparatory fire by the enemy between the Ancree Brook and the Somme led us to expect a great decisive attack. Owing to our curtain of fire it developed only into temporary but heavy fighting in isolated sections.

"On both sides of the Albert-Bapaume high road and east of Trones Wood, strong British attacks broke down.

"Between Maurepas and the Somme, French assaults were seven times repeated. We remained masters of the positions after stubborn fighting. The enemy succeeding only in penertating into Monacu farm and a trench section north of it.

"South of the Somme French advances were repulsed near Barleux and Estrees.

"On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun) front, the enemy brought forward to the attack strong forces against Cote Du Poivre and on the wide front between the Thiaumont work and north of the Laufee work. He obtained a foothold on the western part of Cote Du Poivre and southwest of Fleury in parts of our first line

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WORD FROM CARRANZA EXPECTED VERY SOON

Mexican Commissioners Have Already Been Appointed.

This is Taken to Indicate That the First Chief Has Agreed to the Suggestions Made by the United States.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The final word from General Carranza necessary to initiate organization of a joint commission for settlement of border disputes is expected to reach Washington in a day or two and officials believe the commission's deliberations may begin within a week or ten days.

Official announcement in Mexico City today that Mexican commissioners already had been selected was taken to indicate that the American suggestion for broadening the scope of subjects to be considered at the conferences had been accepted. Neither the Mexican embassy nor the State Department, however, had been officially advised tonight regarding selection of the commissioners or General Carranza's decision as to the matters they will discuss.

While no formal comment was made at the department in advance of official notification there was nothing to indicate that the commissioners named would not be entirely acceptable to department officials. President Wilson has a score of men under consideration for appointment as American representatives, but it is understood he has not attempted so far to make a choice.

There are many indications that a high army officer will be one of those selected by the President because of the military nature of the problems to be considered. Major General Goethals has been mentioned. The other men under consideration include members of the Supreme Court and men in close touch with commercial and financial conditions.

The commission's power will be only that of recommendation. Whatever plan it may propose, either for settling the border situation, for withdrawal of American troops from Mexico or for any other purpose, must be ratified before it is any way binding upon either government.

THREE COMMISSIONERS FROM MEXICO HAVE BEEN SELECTED

Mexico City, August 3. — It was officially announced at the Mexican for-

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SIR ROGER GOES TO HIS DEATH ON GALLOWS CALMLY

Man Once Knighted for His Services as British Consul is Hanged as a Traitor.

"I DIE FOR MY COUNTRY"

Cheers and Groans From Crowd Outside Greet Prison Bell as Death is Announced.

London, Aug. 3.—With only two chaplains and minor officials of the government looking on, Roger Casement, once knighted for his services to the crown while a British consul, was hanged as a traitor in the Pentonville jail here today.

The trap was sprung at one minute after 9 o'clock and when a single stroke of the prison bell announced the grim fact to a waiting crowd outside a chorus of cheers and groans replied, while at one spot a group of about 30 Irish women fell on their knees and prayed for the soul of their fellow countryman.

Casement, convicted of conspiring to cause an armed revolt in Ireland, and with having sought German aid to that end, met his death with calm courage, according to witnesses, and his last utterance was, "I die for my country."

Early in the morning, two priests of the Roman Catholic church administered the last rites in the cell of the condemned man and shortly afterward a little procession headed by the clergymen with Casement following, a warden on either side, proceeded to the execution shed, only five yards away.

As the party reached the shed where the gallows was erected the special executioner, a hair dresser named Ellis, approached Casement and quickly pinioned him. The two chaplains, the under sheriff of London and the under sheriff of Middlesex then took up their positions in front of the scaffold. Casement mounted the gallows steps firmly and commended his spirit to God as he stepped on the trap. A moment later the lever was pulled. Casement was pronounced dead at nine minutes after nine. According to the custom in the case of prisoners hanged for crimes similar to that of Casement, his body will be buried in quick lime in the prison yard, but probably no decision as to the burial will be made until after the inquest.

Little Concerned Over Fate.

Even in the shadow of the scaffold Casement showed small concern over his fate. He ate heartily last night and apparently slept normally. He was allowed to wear civilian clothes today, with the exception of a collar, having been clothed in convict garb during his imprisonment. Whatever hopes he may have had of a reprieve were dashed to earth yesterday when Lord Robert Cecil, parliamentary under-secretary of foreign affairs, announced the government would not interfere with the sentence.

All the members of Casement's family were Protestants, and he was brought up in that faith, but became a convert to Roman Catholicism within the last few weeks. On June 29 he was registered a member of the Roman Catholic church and since that time Fathers McCarrell and Carey, of Edin Grove church, near the prison, have been ministering to him. He received his first and only communion at 7 o'clock this morning when he assisted at mass in his cell. One of his attendants said that his overpowering love for God and Ireland was most striking.

Gavin Duffy, Casement's solicitor, made a plea that the body be handed over to relatives which the authorities, he said, had refused. The coroner declared he had no power to interfere, whereupon Duffy protested, saying it was a "monstrous act of indecency that the authorities should refuse the request."

Considers Execution Unwise.

The Daily News, the only London morning paper to comment editorially on the execution, said:

"We cannot but reaffirm our conviction that the government exhibited grave unwisdom in exacting the death penalty. No evil results could have followed a commutation of the sentence. The hanging gives the disaffected section of Ireland another martyr, embitters feeling throughout the island, alienates a large and important body of American opinion and enables Germany to play off the death of Casement against the death of Fryatt."

Practically to the very hour of Roger Casement's execution strenuous efforts were made by his friends and sympathizers in the United States and Ireland, and even in England, to secure a reprieve. Repeated attempts to pass a resolution through the United States Senate requesting the President to urge Great Britain to extend mercy to Casement failed. The only action taken in Washington was the passage of a resolution by the Senate asking the President to use his good offices with the British authorities to obtain clemency for Irish political offenders in general.

Many prominent men, both here and in Great Britain, interested themselves in Casement's behalf, including George Bernard Shaw, and the Irish poet, William Butler Yeats. The hopes of the condemned man's friends were exhausted when Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war, announced on Wednesday that the British government was not to grant a reprieve.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT FROM PRESS BUREAU IS ISSUED.

London, Aug. 3.—An official statement issued from the Press Bureau tonight says:

"The government carefully and re-

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CONSERVATIVE PROMPT

LONDON ATTACKED BY THE ZEPPELINS

Berlin Also Says Bombs Were Dropped, With Results, on the Naval Base at Harwich.

IN RAID TUESDAY NIGHT

Important Industrial Establishments in the County of Norfolk Attacked —Zeppelins All Returned Undamaged.

Berlin, Aug. 3, (via London, 7:14 p. m.)—The raid last night by German Zeppelins resulted in the dropping of a great number of explosive and fire bombs on London, on the fleet naval base at Harwich and on industrial establishments in the county of Norfolk, says an official statement given out here today.

The Zeppelins were attacked by light British forces, but all returned undamaged, says the statement, which follows:

"During the night of August 2, a great number of our naval ships again attacked the southeastern counties of England and successfully dropped a great number of explosive and fire bombs, especially on London, the fleet base at Harwich, on railwya works and on, from a mile viewpoint, important industrial establishments in the county of Norfolk.

"On their approach the air ships were attacked by enemy light forces under the rays of numerous searchlights but all returned undamaged."

LONDON SAYS THE BERLIN STATEMENT IS NOT TRUE.

London, Aug. 3.—In regard to the official statement from Berlin on the air raid last night the British Press Bureau says:

"The Press Bureau is informed unofficially that the German statement is untrue virtually from beginning to end."

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peatedly considered all the circumstances in the Casement case before reaching decision not to interfere with the sentence.

"He was convicted an dpunished for treachery of the worst kind to the Empire. He had served as a willing agent of Germany."

After declaring that Casement had organized German assistance for the Irish rebellion the statement continues:

"Conclusive evidence has come into the hands of the government since the trial that he had entered into an agreement with the German government, which explicitly provided that the brigade which he was trying to raise among Irish soldiers held as prisoners might be employed in Egypt against the British crown. Those among the Irish soldiers who resisted Casement's solicitations of disloyalty were subjected to treatment of exceptional cruelty by the Germans. Some of them since have been exchanged as invalids and have died in this country, regarding Casement as their murderer."

In conclusion, the statement points out that the suggestion, which has been "conclusively disproved," that Casement went to Ireland to try to stop the rising was not raised at the trial, nor was the plea of insanity.

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things that it could not directly perform.

"The lottery cases and the white slave cases decided by the Supreme Court," he said, "affirm the power of Congress to enact legislation in the nature of police regulations through its power to regulate commerce. Congress has as much power to suppress recognized evils in the conditions surrounding the production or manufacture of commodities through a regulation of commerce as it has to accomplish the same end after transportation has ended."

Oklahoma City, Aug. 3.—Congressman Murphy was defeated for re-nomination in Tuesday's primary election, according to almost complete returns from the fourth district tonight which give T. D. McKeown 5,654; Murray 5,340 and H. H. Smith 3,565. Murray is widely known as "Alfalfa Bill" and is a Democrat.

Riot Signal Tried Out in Goldsboro

"FALSE ALARM" SOUNDED TO SHOW COMMUNITY HOW QUICKLY THE HOME GUARD COULD BE MOBILIZED

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 3.—Tonight at 8 o'clock the fire alarm pealed forth with the riot signal and within a few minutes hundreds of patriotic citizens and members of the Home Guard were promptly on the scene and in quick, but determined order were soon mobilized for immediate action. Though the alarm had been sounded through the orders of Captain Clement, of the Home Guard ,to impress the importance of the organization upon the public in general, despite this explanation on the part of the city officials, who were in co-operation with the commanding officers of the Home Guard, considerable criticism was in evidence among many citizens who expressed themselves as being strenuously adverse to any movement that prefaced a "false alarm."

DIRECTORS OF A. & N. C. ARE RE-APPOINTED BY GOVERNOR

Recommends R. A. Nunn, of New Bern, for President of Company.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 3.—Governor Craig made an order today appointing directors for the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad Co., in which the State has controlling stock. The appointees succeed themselves and the Governor recommends the selection of R. A. Nunn, of New Bern, as president of the road, the recommendation being equivalent to appointment. The directors are C. B. Foy, New Bern; K. C. Sutton, Kinston; T. A. Uzzell, New Bern; C. S. Wescott, Bayboro; Frank Gough, Lumberton; T. G. Hyman, New Bern; G. D. Canfield, Morehead City, and J. H. Bell, Pollocksville, State's proxy. The directors are to meet at once and will declare the usual dividend under the long term lease that is held by the Norfolk Southern Railroad Company.

MRS. ANNA MAE SIMMS DEAD.

Sister of Mrs. John Green Dies in Rochester, N. Y., Hospital.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Mrs. Anna Mae Simms, sister of Mrs. John Green, Wilmington, N. C., died late today after an illness of two weeks in General Hospital, Rochester, N. Y. She leaves a husband and two other sisters. Interment will be made Saturday at Rochester.

PROGRESSIVES TO PERPETUATE PARTY AS NATIONAL BODY

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ty to deliver our party strength to the Republican presidential ticket.

The conference instructed the chairman to demand from the treasurer of the Progressive party an accounting of funds contributed and a list of outstanding pledges and if any of the money has been expended for the benefit of any other political organization to take such steps as may be necessary to recover the funds.

John M. Parker tonight sent a telegram to Oscar S. Straus, of New York, protesting against a letter sent out on stationery bearing Parker's name, which, it is alleged, has been sent to Progressives throughout the country asking contributions for the Hughes campaign fund. The conference discussed a plan to read out of the party all national committeemen now supporting Hughes but finally abandoned the idea.

TO TAKE STEPS TO PREVENT A STRIKE

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and employes whether organized or unorganized.

R. T. Frazier, of Nashville, Tenn., chairman of a committee of railroad employes outside the four brotherhoods, said petitions for such legislation had been signed by a majority of men employed on some Southern roads, and that the movement would be made national in scope.

The committee contends that 80 per cent of railroad employes are not included among the trainmen. These men include construction, repair, shop, office and operating department employes. Their wages are said to be much smaller than those of the trainmen, and a strike would throw many of them out of work and reduce their chances for an increase, especially if the trainmen gained an increase, it is contended by the committee.

Police Excursion, August 9th.
At Lumina. Athletic contests, square dances. Music by special band.

COUNTER ATTACKS BY GERMANS FAIL

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trenches and re-captured a trench section of Laufre forest which he lost on Tuesday.

"At the Thiaumont work and southeast of Fleury the enemy was completely repulsed, and in the mountain forests he was repulsed with heavy losses by a counter attack after having temporarily broken into our lines.

"During enemy air bomb attacks on Belgian towns alone 15 inhabitants, including nine women and children, were killed or seriously injured in Meirelbeke, south of Ghent. One of the enemy fled over Dutch territory. During aerial battles, one biplane was brought down south of Roulers and one enemy aeroplane, the 13th for Lieutenant Wintgens, southeast of Peronne. One enemy aeroplane was brought down by our anti-aircraft guns near Boesinghe and another similarly north of Arras."

NEW HIGH MARK IN DEATHS FROM INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Record Was Also Made in the Number of New Cases Yesterday.

New York, Aug. 3.—New forces were today added to the campaign against the epidemic of infantile paralysis here when two committees composed of prominent pathologists and bacteriologists from all over the country were selected to study the disease in all its ramifications. The naming of the committees followed a conference of the experts at the college of physicians and surgeons of Columbia University.

The number of deaths and new cases reached a new high mark with the 24 hours ending at 10 o'clock today. New cases totalled 217 and the number of deaths was 43. Health Commissioner Haven Emerson announced that the death rate of the present epidemic was now 20 per cent. of the cases reported, while in 1907 it was only 5 per cent. Of the committees named at the conference of experts, the first is to take up a laboratory investigation of the nature, communicability and virulence of the disease. Dr. Simon Flexner, of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, was made chairman.

FIVE MEMBERS OF CABINET TO SPEAK IN STATE OF MAINE

Several Congressmen Will Also Take Part in Democratic Campaign.

New York, Aug. 3.—Five members of President Wilson's cabinet and several Congressmen will speak during the coming campaign in Maine, according to a partial list issued tonight by Chairman Cummins, of the speaker's bureau of the Democratic National Committee. The list includes:

Secretary of War Baker, Attorney General Gregory, Secretary of Commerce Redfield, Secretary of Labor Wilson and Secretary of the Navy Daniels.

Vance McCormick, Democratic National Chairman, announced tonight that President Wilson's notification ceremonies at Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, N. J., possibly would be held Saturday, September 2.

THOS. B. FELDER, ATLANTA ATTORNEY, SERIOUSLY STABBED

G. K. Vesson, Doorkeeper of Lower House of State Assembly, Arrested.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 3.—Thomas B. Felder, an Atlanta attorney who attained wide prominence during the South Carolina dispensary cases, was seriously stabbed here tonight by G. K. Vesson, of Eastpoint, Ga., doorkeeper of the lower house of the state assembly, has been arrested charged with the assault. The affray occurred in the lobby of the Kimball house in the presence of many assemblymen and is believed to have followed a disagreement over a bill to amend the charter of the city of Savannah. Felder is at a local hospital, and is expected to recover.

NEGRO BISHOP DEAD.

Rev. S. D. Ferguson, Formerly of Charleston, Dies in Liberia.

New York, August 3. — The death of the Rev. S. D. Ferguson, for the last 35 years bishop of the Episcopal church in Liberia, was announced today in cable dispatches received by the Domestic and Foreign Missions Society. The negro clergyman was born in Charleston, S. C., in 1842, and with his family emigrated at the age of 6 to Liberia, where he was ordained a priest in 1863 and elected bishop of the District of Cape Palmas, now the District of Liberia, in 1884.

APPROPRIATIONS BY CONGRESS PASS $1,500,000,000 MARK.

Still Another Hundred Millions Expected Before Adjournment.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Appropriations of the present Congress passed the $1,500,000,000 mark today and set a new record. The bill for support of the District of Columbia carried the appropriations over the previous mark. Leaders expect appropriations of another hundred millions before adjournment.

ITALIAN MAIL STEAMER IS SENT DOWN BY A SUBMARINE

Survivors Say Five Boats With Occupants Were Smashed by Gun Fire.

London, Aug. 4.—The Italian mail steamer Letimbro has been sunk by a submarine and 28 survivors have arrived at Malta, says a Reuter dispatch from that place. Two boat loads with survivors also have arrived at Syracuse.

The Letimbro carried a crew of 57 and her passengers numbered 113. It is believed that a large number of them lost their lives. The passengers included women and children.

Survivors report that a submarine was observed at a distance of about 6,000 meters. It fired a warning shot and then gave chase, firing continuously for half an hour. It finally overtook the Letimbro which had begun to lower boats.

"The submarine," adds the dispatch, "continued its bombardment, smashing five boats, the occupants of which perished. Some of the survivors say that many were killed by shell fire."

HELD FOR HIGHER COURT ON PRIZE FIGHTING CHARGES

One of Three Durham Men in Jail in Default of Bond.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., Aug. 3.—H. V. Heasom, Roy Ross and Douglas Ryder were arraigned in municipal court this morning on charges of promoting a prize fight and prize fighting. Probable cause was found against all three and they were held in bonds aggregating $700, for Superior court.

Heasom, promoter of the fight, was placed under $500 bond, which he had not been able to give at a late hour tonight and was in jail. Relatives of Ross and Ryder furnished their bail and they were released. All three of the young men pleaded not guilty. Former Mayor W. J. Brogden represents Heasom and the case will be bitterly fought in higher court.

TO BE ELECTROCUTED TODAY.

Washington County Negro to Die for Part in Murder.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 3.—John Savage is to die in the electric chair tomorrow about 10:30 o'clock, for his part in the murder of an aged white man in Washington county, he having been aided in the foul deed by his wife and son, who are both serving terms, the wife 30 years and the son 20 years. It was partly on the confessions of the wife and son that Savage was convicted and sentenced to die. Governor Craig has definitely decided that he will not interfere with the electrocution by any further respite or a commutation. He was respited two weeks ago, the order for the two weeks respite coming to Raleigh from the Governor in Asheville just a half hour before the electrocution was to take place, and after the negro had been garbed in his death robe, ready to be led to teh death chamber.

FIRST MAIN LINE TRAINS TO ASHEVILLE SINCE JULY 16

Nearly One Thousand Passengers, Mostly Tourists, Arrive.

Asheville, N. C., August 3.—The first trains to be operated into Asheville on the main lines of the Southern Railway since July 16, when service was suspended by extensive washouts, arrived at Asheville this afternoon over the Asheville-Spartanburg and Asheville-Knoxville divisions. The trains brought in nearly one thousand passengers, the majority being tourists who had been waiting at various points in South Carolina and Tennessee for the resumption of service. Railway officials announced tonight that they expected to have full train service on both divisions by August 13.

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DIED.

WILLIAM LAFAYETTE HARLOW, in the sixty-seventh year of his age, at his home in this city, August 3rd, 1916, 8:45 A. M.

Funeral from family residence this (Friday) afternoon, at 5 P. M. Interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

Masonic Temple, August 4th.
WILMINGTON LODGE, NO. 319, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent communication this (Friday) evening, at 7:45, for work in the Fellow Craft Degree.

All members urged to attend. Visiting brothers invited to meet with us.

By order of the Worshipful Master.
J. F. CLOWE,
Secretary.

The Smoke of Men Who Win

A fresh-rolled "Bull" Durham cigarette almost says "Speed up!" right out loud. Keen-eyed, clear-headed fellows smoke "Bull" Durham because it has the sparkle and the "punch"—the youthful vim and vigor. Every time you "roll your own" with "Bull" Durham you open the door to Hustle.

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The Photoplay That is Making History in Wilmington.

AGE LIMIT ——— 15

All Over Fifteen Years of Age Are Now Allowed to Witness This Wonderful Production.

MATINEES: 3:30 and 5:00. NIGHTS:... 8:00 and 9:30.

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IN THE REALM OF SPORTS

SUPERBAS WIN FIRST GAME FROM PIRATES

Giants Capture Shut-Out Victory From the Cubs.

Doak and Watson Are Hit Hard and the Phillies Defeat Cardinals 10 to 4—Braves and Reds Divide Double Header.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Boston 1-5; Cincinnati 3-3.
At New York 1; Chicago 0.
At Brooklyn 7; Pittsburg 2.
At Philadelphia 10; St. Louis 4.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Boston.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	57	34	.626
Philadelphia	52	39	.571
Boston	50	38	.568
New York	47	44	.516
Chicago	45	52	.464
Pittsburg	40	51	.440
St. Louis	44	56	.440
Cincinnati	39	60	.394

Brooklyn, Aug. 3.—Brooklyn won the opening game from Pittsburg today 7 to 2. Frank Miller allowed three scattered hits up to the seventh inning when he was knocked out by three singles and a double. Two singles and a home run by Stengel netted three runs off Kantlehner in the eighth.

Pittsburg	000 000 020	2	7 1
Brooklyn	000 000 43*	7	10 2

F. Miller, Kantlehner and Fischer; Cheney and O. Miller.

Philadelphia, Aug. 3.—Philadelphia hit the deliveries of Doak and Watson hard today and defeated St. Louis 10 to 4. Luderus made a home run and two singles.

St. Louis	000 200 020	4	9 2
Philadelphia	000 133 03*	10	14 1

Doak, Watson and Gonzales; Bender and Burns.

New York, Aug. 3.—Fred Merkle's home run drive in the eighth inning broke up a tight pitchers' battle today between Vaughn, of the Chicago Nationals, and Perritt, of New York, the Giants winning 1 to 0. Vaughn only allowed two hits prior to Merkle's long hit.

Chicago	000 000 000	0	7 1
New York	000 000 01*	1	3 2

Vaughn and Wilson; Perritt and Rariden.

Boston, Aug. 3.—Cincinnati won the first game and Boston won the second today. In the ninth inning of the first contest Mitchell, batting for Schulz, hit for two bases with the bases filled and scored three runs.

"Red" Smith made the second game secure for Boston in the first inning by driving to deep center for a home run with the bases full.

Cincinnati	000 000 003	3	8 1
Boston	000 001 000	1	8 4

Toney, Schulz, Mosely and Wingo; Barnes and Blackburn.

Second game:

Cincinnati	100 110 000	3	10 0
Boston	401 000 00*	5	8 0

Mosely and Clarke; Allen and Blackburn.

ROCKY MOUNT TAKES EASY VICTORY FROM PETERSBURG

Rocky Mount, N. C., Aug. 3.—Allowing but three safe bangs in the evening's set-to, Ferguson, for the Tar Heels, made an easy win of today's game from Petersburg, when his teammates were scoring an even dozen off Pool. The score wound up 7 to 2. Carroll's steal of the last corner featured the clash, while Eisel thumped one beyond the enclosure. Manager Ryan, who has been forced into service for the past three weeks on account of illness of Catcher Talbot, was injured in the seventh inning, lacerating a muscle in his left leg.

Petersburg	000 002 000	2	3 0
Rocky Mount	103 010 20*	7	12 1

Poole and Hudgins; Ferguson and Ryan and Oust; umpires, Flayers, Cardin and Jarman; attendance 525; time 1:50.

COBB LOSES TWO POINTS IN STANDING AS BATTER

Washington, Aug. 3.—Ty Cobb was the only one of the three leading batsmen of the American League to be in action today and as he made only one hit in four times up, he lost two points in his standing, but still is second. The standing:

Player.	AB.	H.	PCt.
Speaker	350	136	.389
Cobb	335	119	.355
Jackson	387	134	.347

MINOR LEAGUES.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

At Winston-Salem 3; Durham 2.
At Greensboro 3; Raleigh 2.
At Charlotte 7; Asheville 6.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE

At Rocky Mount 7; Petersburg 2.
At Newport News 11; Portsmouth 0.
No other scheduled.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

At Atlanta 5; Nashville 8.
At Birmingham 6-4; Chattanooga 0-2.
At Mobile 4; Memphis 3.
At New Orleans 1; Little Rock 2.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Columbus 8; Indianapolis 6.
At Toledo 2; Louisville 3.
At Kansas City 5; Milwaukee 1.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Richmond 3; Baltimore 1.
At Rochester 7; Montreal 3.
At Toronto 6; Buffalo 5.
No other scheduled

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE

At Columbia 6; Columbus 1.
At Jacksonville-Augusta, rain.
At Charleston 2; Macon 0.

WHITE SOX NOW LEAD IN AMERICAN LEAGUE

Boston Loses to St. Louis and Drops to Second Place.

Yankees Lose Their Seventh Straight Game to the Tigers—Indians Win Opening Game of Series With Athletics.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At St. Louis 3, Boston 2.
At Cleveland 3, Philadelphia 1.
At Detroit 2, New York 1.
At Chicago-Washington, rain.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Washington at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.
New York at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	58	42	.580
Boston	56	41	.577
Cleveland	54	44	.551
New York	53	45	.541
Detroit	53	49	.520
Washington	49	47	.510
St. Louis	50	49	.505
Philadelphia	19	75	.202

Chicago, Aug. 3.—The White Sox went into first place in the American League race today when St. Louis defeated Boston 3 to 2 in ten innings, while a rainstorm prevented Chicago from playing Washington. The standing now is:

Chicago, won 58, lost 42, percentage 580; Boston, won 56, lost 41, percentage .577.

This is the first time the local club has taken the lead in the race, the closest in the history of the American League since its origin.

Detroit, Aug. 3.—New York lost its seventh straight game today to Detroit, 2 to 1. On both sides the fielding was fast and the pitching good. The New York club has recaled Pitcher Shocker, from Toronto, Infielder Arragon from Richmond, Va., and has notified Pitcher Cullop to rejoin the squad.

New York	000 100 000	1	4 1
Detroit	000 000 101	2	4 2

Russell and Walters; Coveleskie, Boland and Stanage, Baker.

Cleveland, Aug. 3.—Cleveland won the opening game of the series with Philadelphia 4 to 1. Bagby aided in his own victory by making a triple and scoring Cleveland's first run.

Philadelphia	000 000 001	1	7 1
Cleveland	0002 000 01*	3	6 1

Bush and Haley; Bagby and Daly.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—St. Louis made it 13 straight by taking the first game of the series from Boston here today, 3 to 2 in ten innings, and incidentally pulled the visitors down from first place in the league. Walker's home run in the second inning was the first tally of the game, but St. Louis tied it in their half. The locals tied the score again in the eighth, after Boston has scored in the sixth and won in the tenth.

Boston	010 001 000 0	2	6 3
St. Louis	010 000 010 1	3	8 0

Leonard, Mays and Agnew; Thomas, Koob and Severeid.

BILLY DAVE, DRIVEN BY COX WINS BURDICK HOTEL PURSE

Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 3.—Billy Dave, driven by Walter Cox, this afternoon won the Burdick Hotel purse of $2,000 for 2:09 pacers in straight heats. The Cox horse was favorite in the feature event of the afternoon's grand circuit races.

The 2:16 trot went into four heats. Baby Doll captured the first mile and Tommy Murphy took the next three with Helen Worthy. Aullsbrook, the favorite, failed to finish inside the money.

EVERS "DISGUSTED" AND WOULD QUIT THE BRAVES.

Boston, Aug. 3.—After a quarrel in which Captain Evers and "Red" Smith of the Boston Nationals figured today, Evers announced he was "disgusted" with the way things were going, and that if he could obtain an unconditional release he was "about ready to quit the Braves." "If I say anything I get in bad and if I don't say anything, I get in bad," said Evers, "so what is there to do?"

NEXT SESSION OF GIDEONS TO BE IN ELIZABETH CITY

Annual Convention of Prominent Colored Order Closed This Morning.

The closing session of the Gideon Grand Lodge of North Carolina, composed of 25,000 or more of the colored race, which continued until an early hour this morning, was devoted to hearing the reports of the various committees. The convention which was in session for three days was the most profitable in the history of the order from every standpoint, it was stated. The Board of Directors was authorized to dispose of all unfinished business. The next session of the convention will be held in Elizabeth City next July.

The big feature of the session yesterday was the annual sermon at St. Luke's A. M. E. Zion church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock which was preached by Rev. J. B. Lee, of Washington, N. C.

The 300 or more visitors that attended the convention will leave for their homes today and tomorrow.

Greenville, N. C., Aug. 3.—Although Tar river has been improved to a depth of six feet from Greenville to Washington, the business interests of this town have made no co-operative effort to use the channel for the barge and small steamer transportation of which it is possible, Congressman John H. Small tells the Carolina Club in a letter. The representative hopes to induce Greenville to become an inland port.

Go to the Police Outing at Lumina, August 9th, and have a good time.

DELGADO MAN HAS 5 POUNDS PROOF OF TANLAC'S GOOD

"Made Life Worth Living and I Wouldn't Be Without It In My Home," Asserts L. Fowler.

"Tanlac surely makes life worth living, and I wouldn't be without it in my home," started Luke Fowler, of Delgado, enthusiastically to the Tanlac Man, in telling the story of how this new reconstructive tonic has helped him.

"I did not do the medicine justice at first, because, when I gained from two bottles of it, I stopped its use," he continued. "Two weeks after that I was back in the some old fix—suffering from indigestion and a run-down sustem, through sleeplessness and a very poor appetite.

"Right then was where I again started on it, and the finish of the fifth bottle finds me feeling fine in every way. I have gained exactly five pounds in weight, and it is certainly a pleasure to again enjoy the pleasures of life and to be able to do my work with ease. I offer my story for those who may be as unfortunate as I was," he ended, happily, as he departed with his bottle of Tanlac from the Bellamy Drug Store.

"The number of people who are now coming in every day to describe benefits received from Tanlac is constantly increasing," said the Tanlac Man, "and I have a great many signed testimonials on hand to submit to any inquirer. Tanlac wins friends entirely on its merit. It is the most remarkable tonic for nervousness and run-down condition ever introduced, in my opinion. We have accomplished an unequaled record with this medicine in cases of stomach trouble, rheumatism, catarrh, constipation and other ailments."

Tanlac is sold only in Wilmington at the Bellamy Drug Store; Watson's Pharmacy, Southport; Acme Store Co., Acme; C. L. Halstead, Burgaw; A. N. Rhodes & Co., Rocky Point; G. W. Kirby, Supply; Bradham Drug Co., New Bern; C. L. Southall, Magnolia. Each town has its Tanlac druggists.—adv.

CONVICTED OF STEALING.

Harry Graham, Colored, Must Again Face Similar Charge Before Recorde

Whether Harry Graham, colored, stole two buckets of lard and hid them at the foot of Harnett street, as alleged by the police department, remains to be proven, but the evidence as adduced in the Recorder's court yesterday to the effect that some time ago he rather unceremoniously took a cheese from a freight car in the Atlantic Coast Line yards was strong enough to cause him to get three months on the roads. Two buckets of lard are now on exhibition at the police station and they will be introduced as evidence against Graham this morning. The police were informed that the lard was hidden in some bushes at the foot of Harnett street and sure enough upon making a search the lard was found.

Bessie Griffin, colored, having been slapped violently on the face, as she claimed, went before Justice Bornemann yesterday morning and swore out a warrant for the arrest of Allen Glenn, likewise colored. Upon investigation, the magistrate found probable cause against the negro on a charge of assault and battery and he was sent over to the Recorder. The evidence was convincing and Glenn was taxed with the costs. Not having $5.65 on hand, the negro was ordered sent to the county roads for 30 days in default.

A case against Xanthos Bros., charged with violating the Sunday selling ordinance, was continued on motion of counsel for the defense.

NEW DEPARTMENT ASSURED

Traffic Bureau for Chamber Will Accomplish Much for Wilmington.

The proposed new traffic department for the Chamber of Commerce, which will be of great benefit to the commercial interests of the city, appears to be practically assured, as a large number of the leading firms of the city have agreed to subscribe for the maintenance of this valuable department.

At a meeting of the Executive committee yesterday a subcommittee, of the Traffic Committee, was appointed to complete the necessary subscriptions in order that the new bureau may be inaugurated as early as possible.

With the services of an expert of invaluable knowledge to work out the many intricate problems of traffic adjustments and discriminations, as well as check the freight bills of the subscribing members, Wilmington's commercial interests will be placed on a parity with other South Atlantic coast cities, who are zealously guarding their commercial advantages.

NO VERDICT REACHED.

Jury Unable to Agree in Case of Mr. Galloway Against Lumber Co.

No verdict could be agreed upon by the jury impanelled in the Recorder's court yesterday afternoon to try the case of Mr. Richmond Galloway against the Wilmington Lumber Company in which the plaintiff seeks to recover about $160 for lumber which he claims to have furnished the defendant.

According to Mr. Galloway, he shipped to the defendant 25,000 feet of lumber but the latter claims that it actually received only about 10,000 feet. The lumber was placed at the Clyde Line terminals to be lightered up the river. Herbert McClammy and Wm. J. Bellamy, Esqs., appeared for the plaintiff and L. Clayton Grant, Esq., for the lumber company.

The jury that sat in the case was composed of Messrs. Edward Wright, B. C. Green, R. E. Williams, W. C. Curtis, W. M. Cumming, Fulton T. Allen, M. H. Penny, Frank Meier, J. A. McDougald, R. C. Merritt, Eric Norden and E. C. Dickinson.

—The adjustment committee of six members of the organization of the Atlantic Coast Line shop workers are in Wilmington to confer with the railroad officials to adjust certain working conditions. No matters of any great importance are understood to be under consideration.

Minneapolis Minn., August 3. — Two Minneapolis entries and two from Iowa will compete in the semi-finals championship flight at the Trans-Mississippi Golf Tournament here tomorrow as the result of today's play in the 36-hole third round.

THEATRICAL

Yesterday was really "Young People's Day" at the Victoria. For the lowering of the age limit to fifteen years, brought crowds last night to witness "Where Are My Children," the photoplay that is making history in Wilmington and will long be remembered as the greatest moral photoplay of the times.

"Where Are My Children?" has received more commendation and less "knocking" than any photoplay that has ever been presented in Wilmington. To date, the proportion is only one against to about five thousand for, the prosecution. One person who saw the play has been heard to say that it "should not be allowed to play in Wilmington"—just one, out of the many thousands that have witnessed it during the week. When you take into consideration that "Where Are My Children" is the most radical departure in film plays in a decade this is some recommendation.

"Where Are My Children" will be presented eight more times in Wilmington—four times today and four times tomorrow, and many who have not yet availed themselves of the opportunity of witnessing the greatest photoplay of the year should certainly do so today or tomorrow.

"Strange Case of Mary Page."

"The Strange Case of Mary Page" enters the last lap at the Grand today, with the presentation of the thirteenth great chapter of this stirring serial production. Never in the history of the Grand theatre has such fine acting by such magnitudinous stars featured any serial production. Henry Walthall, "The Mansfield of the screen" has acquitted himself with credit in this great serial, presenting the side of him which is most natural and in which he is most graceful. For he was really a lawyer before he came to the screen.

Edna Mayo, the most beautiful woman on the screen, has gained new laurels for her sterling performance in this great serial. In some of the chapters she has been given little opportunity to display a great amount of dramatic talent, but in today's chapter and the following two chapters, she does some of the greatest work of her career. You don't want to miss these final three chapters of this great serial.

Two great comedy features will also be on today's all-star lineup at the Grand. Don't miss them!

"Iron Claw"—Bijou.

The nineteenth great chapter of "The Iron Claw" is on at the Bijou today, and as this serial draws to a glorious close, the crowds are getting to the capacity limit of the large theatre every Friday.

And the nineteenth great chapter just one from the end is the greatest two reels of motion pictures that you have ever seen. In this stirring Chapter the mystifying "Laughing Mask" reveals himself to the pretty girl he loves, but Marjory isn't going to tell a living mortal who he is! So the secret is still in the hands of only two living beings, as far as everyone on the outside knows.

But next week comes grand finale and the most unique solution to a great mystery that you have ever witnessed on the screen. Don't miss today's great two-reel chapter, the greatest thriller you have ever seen.

We have those two old favorite fun makers with us today, of course.

Heinie and Louie are right there with bells on in "Ach, Such Crimes," one of the very greatest productions they have ever starred in.

Then comes Lonesome Luke, the India rubber comedian, in "Luke Lugs Luggage" in which the inimitable one gets in bad all around.

"Undine" Again Today.

"Undine" that beautiful French classic of the sea, starring Ida Schnall and many hundreds of beautiful "sea nymphs" played to large houses at the Royal all day yesterday. At the evening performances, capacity houses were in attendance, and such a sensation as this picture created has never been witnessed at the Royal, not even with "Neptune's Daughter."

"Undine" furnishes an hour and a half's entertainment that is so different from the usual motion picture entertainment that the mere novelty of the thing appeals to everyone. And the unique, daring and thoroughly inspiring story that is unfolded as you witness its five-reels unwind on the screen.

Miss Ida Schnall's performance in the water is truly marvelous, and one of the dives she makes, more than a hundred and fifty feet, is the greatest distance ever recorded of any jump on the screen.

"Undine" will pack 'em in again today—if anything the crowds will be larger than yesterday, and everyone who wishes to witness this masterpiece should come today, early as possible.

SOUTHERN METHODISTS WILL BUILD CHURCH AT WASHINGTON

Edifice to Be a Beautiful One and Will Cost $250,000.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Bishop W. A. Candler, chairman of the general conference committee of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, and Dr. Geo. S. Sexton, secretary, today closed the contract here for the erection of a beautiful church designed to be the gift of Southern Methodists to the Nation's capital. It will be constructed of Georgia marble on a site at Massachusetts avenue and K street, facing Mount Vernon place square. Construction is to begin immediately. The church will cost $250,000.

Endorses Wilson's Stand on Suffrage

MISS GORDON SAYS DEMOCRATIC WOMEN WILL NOT BE CAUGHT BY HUGHES' "BAIT" OF A FEDERAL AMENDMENT

New Orleans, Aug. 3.—Endorsement of President Wilson's stand on the woman suffrage question and criticism of Charles E. Hughes' declaration for a Federal amendment was voiced by Miss Kate Gordon, president of the Southern States Woman Suffrage Conference in a statement issued here today. The conference is not affiliated with any of the National bodies.

Miss Gordon said:

"Mr. Wilson's re-affirmation of his belief in woman suffrage, but leaving to the states the right to define their electorate, will appeal to every candid mind as the action of a statesman in contradistinction to Mr. Hughes as a politician, in his advocacy of a Federal amendment. • • •

"Two-thirds of a Republican Congress may send the amendment to its political limbo of ratification by 36 legislatures, but Democratic women voters will not be caught when Mr. Hughes offers the bait of a Federal amendment as a 'short cut' to woman suffrage."

WEEK-END CAMP TO OPEN

Business Boys of Y. M. C. A. Will Go to Masonboro For Outing.

Everything is in readiness for the Business Boys' Week-End Camp which is to be held at Kirkham's Landing on Masonboro Sound and 24 boys are eagerly awaiting the time for leaving. The first party of campers will meet at the Y. M. C. A. at 2:30 o'clock on Saturday afternoon and will then proceed to the corner of Third and Princess streets, from which point they will leave on the 3 o'clock beach car for Winter Park Gardens. They will be taken by wagon from Winter Park Gardens to the camp site. A second group of boys will leave in the evening on the 6:30 car and will reach the camp in time for supper.

The boys are all looking forward with delight to this opportunity for taking part in the numerous activities of a summer camp. Because of the limited time at the disposal of the business boys of the city for trips of this sort, a more liberal Sunday programme has been arranged than is customary at the usual Y. M. C. A. camps. While there will be no fishing or baseball on Sunday, there will be ample opportunity for swimming and games and many other interesting activities.

One of the popular features will be the story-telling, games and songs around the evening campfire. The camp will be in direct charge of Mr. C. W. Johnson, and he will be assisted in his work by a number of other capable men. Everything possible will be done to ensure the safety and welfare of the boys. Swimming will be permitted only at stated times and under the supervision of a competent adult leader.

The committee in charge of the camp wishes to thank the business men of the city who have aided so generously and willingly in their efforts to make the camp possible for the employed boys of the city. There is still a need of funds, and further contributions will be gratefully received by the committee through their chairman, Mr. George Honnet.

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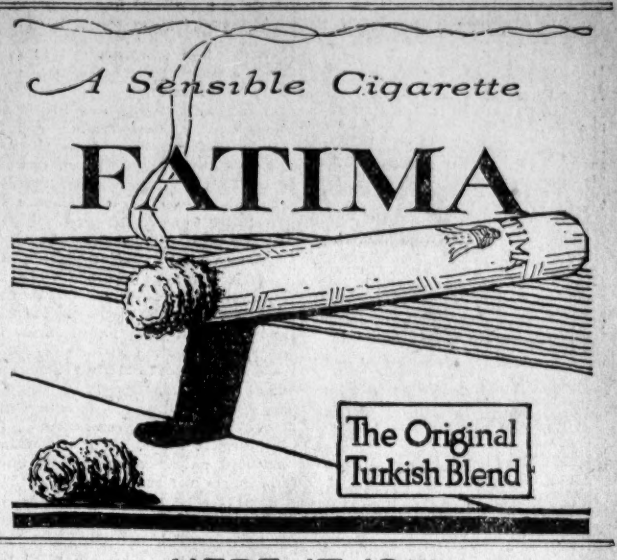

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TOP O' THE MORNING.

Reputation is what men and women think of us. Character is what God and angels know of us.
—THOMAS PAINE.

The people have to decide well and true between Wilson's performance and Hughes' detailless opinion.

Mr. Hughes has two charming daughters but that gives only two fellows a real good excuse to vote for him.

The Chicago convention stood out against Roosevelt but he stood in with it and made it put its foot in it.

It is said that it is the little things that count, but some candidates are so little that they can only count on defeat.

It's difficult to say whether the New York Sun is more cynical than sinful, or whether it is more sinner than cynic.

There is money to burn in Mexico. It is so worthless that it will not buy anything and is only good for kindling the fire.

We often feel as if we'd like to be sold on halves to some baseball team that would bid recklessly without seeing the goods.

President Wilson asked us all not to rock the boat, but there are some who are trying to rock the ship of state with him in it.

The Presidential campaign has opened and Mr. Hughes has fallen down in it. He slipped up while trying to discover an issue.

Another man up North has flatly disputed the word of Colonel Roosevelt. The Colonel's word has gotten so that it is a subject for general debate.

The European beligerents continue to dispute each other's word. They ought to quit fighting so they could enter libel suits against each other.

A few days ago at his summer cottage on Long Island sound the Hon. Charles E. Hughes witnessed a wreck. It often happens that in some strange and startling ways coming events cast their shadow before.

As an issue Wilson's foreign policy is a mere matter of moonshine involving one man's opinion against the judgment and performance of another. Whenever did a difference of opinion constitute a national issue?

The Republican candidate for President speaks grandiloquently about "dominant Americanism," but it should be stated in behalf of the trusts that they desire Republican success because of its well known preference for predatory Americanism.

Governor Manning, who is a candidate for a second term of two years in South Carolina, is being charged with having conducted a lawless administration. He must have obstreperously enforced the obnoxinous law appertaining to the waterwagon.

Anyhow, he ought to know that old Huerta is a dead issue as well as a dead injun. Huerta deserved recognition as a corpse which provided one of the funerals that was a blessing to Mexico. Hughes thinks he should have been recognized, but President Wilson had him identified and put in jail for plotting on American soil. An American jail was decidedly more appropriate than American recognition for such a man as Huerta.

People who don't have much to fight over rarely have to fight. A nation without wealth and resources never has to submit to intervention. It never pays to intervene in a country that has nothing. Mexico is a country of rich resources and that accounts for the fact that she can not have her own fight without foreign interference. If there was no wealth in Mexico she would be permitted to indulge in a twenty years war.

A STRIKE THAT WOULD BE DISASTROUS.

With 13 cents cotton and 12 to 13 cents a pound for tobacco, it is to be hoped that the nation-wide strike of the railway trainmen may be averted. With 400,000 men on strike and the transportation system of the whole of America tied up or crippled, it would mean an enormous disaster just at a time when the crops of the South and West need to be on the move.

The railroads have rejected all proposals to meet the demands of the trainmen, and as a consequence the men have voted to strike. The railroad men in the North, the South, the East and the West have joined hands for a strike and we can well conceive what that would mean to the travel and traffic of all this country. It is natural to suppose that it would have a disastrous effect upon prices at a time when the farmers should be getting money in hand for their cotton, tobacco, wheat and all manner of foodstuffs.

Mutual arbitration seems to be the last resort and efforts are being made in that direction but with little prospect of success. There are three parties to this contest, 225 railroads and their men being the principals and the public the innocent by-stander with an interest that is nation-wide. As the third party to strike situations, the public is beginning to realize that it should have something to say in their settlement. During the strike of the street car men in Wilmington several weeks ago, The Star suggested that in view of the public and business interests there should be courts of arbitration into which all parties should be haled for a hearing and adjustment according to law and equity. There is a right and wrong side to such conflicts, and when they come to a deadlock there should be arbitration courts or commissions to pass judgment in behalf of the public and all concerned. The Baltimore Sun a few days ago emphasized that very idea and pointed out that in extensive strikes the public interests are so great as to make compulsory arbitration justifiable.

In justice to the public and all parties to strike situations, that eventually must be the way in which these disturbing contentions must be settled. As individuals we have to go into court, but as corporations and groups of individuals with a common cause there is yet no adequate means of judicially settling the big strikes in which the public at large has rights that should be protected, while justice can be done to those who are engaged in great conflicts.

The South is now on the eve of the cotton and tobacco season, so let us hope that such an enormous strike as that impending will be averted if it possibly can be done.

THE SPIRIT IN THE FLOOD AREA.

Besides the $50,000 fund being raised throughout North Carolina by private subscription, Congress has appropriated $540,000 towards relief of the sufferers in the flood area in seven states. North Carolina was the heaviest sufferer among these several states and it is estimated that about $300,000 of the government fund will be distributed in the mountain and piedmont counties affected by the flood. The government appropriation, together with private subscriptions, will be only a drop in the bucket because of the fact that $10,000,000 would not give complete relief. The sum named can only give relief in emergency and temporary instances, so that the big problem remains to be handled by the people themselves.

However, the spirit of the mountain and piedmont people themselves makes us proud of them as a plucky and indomintable lot of North Carolinians. Instances of it are numerous, so the action of the people of Caldwell county is only typical of our Western North Carolina brethren. The Lenoir News tells us that a mass meeting of the citizens of Caldwell, from practically every portion of the county, went on record last Monday as standing solidly behind the county commissioners in borrowing $50,000 to rebuild the bridges and roads that were washed away by the floods. The First National Bank of Richmond offered to loan the county money, but the commissioners left it to the people to say whether the county should go in debt to that amount, so when a motion approving the loan was offered and put to the mass meeting it was adopted almost to a man. The commissioners will proceed at once to replace four bridges that were washed away on the Catawba.

There is no need to worry about people with that spirit, and with aid, it can be left to them to rebuild the waste places in the flood country. They are indomnitable, even with gaping disaster staring them in the face, and there need not be much fear that such people will pick up and leave Western North Carolina. It is as good and grand a country as any on the face of the earth and its resources and the spirit of those Western North Carolinians is a guarantee that they are no quitters.

Eastern North Carolina would like to have all of those people that it could get. There would be immense opportunities in this part of the State for them, but Eastern North Carolina prefers for them to remain in their mountain homes, which they will soon rebuild in the smiling valleys of the Catawba, the Yadkin, the French Broad, the Swannanoa, the Doe and the Toe.

Some Republicans in North Carolina kick against the war tax of $200,000,000, but they are going to vote for a tax of several billions of dollars for the benefit of trusts and special interests. They get more tariff swag out of the people than the government gets in revenue.

THE AUTO TAX FOR HIGHWAY UPKEEP

The State is reaping $140,000 a year from license taxes on automobiles and motor vehicles, and the Asheville Citizen takes strong grounds in favor of a movement looking to the utilization of this auto tax for the construction and maintenance of a thorough system of good roads. The plan is to turn over to the State Highway Commission all the auto taxes collected each year, to be devoted exclusively to good roads purposes.

That is a good idea so far as it goes, but, of course, $140,000 a year would not go very far towards building or keeping up all the roads in the State. Nevertheless, that tax ought to go back to the roads from which it came indirectly for use of the same by motor vehicles. The Highway Commission should at least have enough of the funds to carry out its purposes on a broader scale. It strikes us, however, that this tax should belong to the individual counties, since the persons paying the auto tax in each county are citizens of their respective counties, while the taxes they pay may go for roads in counties that pay no such taxes at all and have no road systems of their own. Then it must be remembered that the roads do not belong to the State but to the counties, hence the counties are more entitled to the auto taxes paid by their citizens. The State really is getting the benefit of a tax that does not belong to it by rights. The State should not have such a taxing system as that it can raise revenue on depreciating property. However, the State seems to be taxing a person's privilege of owning a motor vehicle, when it might as well tax people for the privilege of owning any other kind of personal property or real estate. The Asheville Citizen's view of the main proposition is as follows:

"The movement looking to the turning over the $140,000 annually received by the State is automobile taxes to the highway commission, for the construction and maintenance of a through system of roads, is a movement which should receive the solid support not only of autoists, but of the public generally. Under the present arrangement eighty per cent. of this tax comes back to the various counties, and is there swallowed up in the general funds, those contributing it receiving little or practically no benefit therefrom. The Citizen holds that in all equity and justice the sum of $140,000, contributed by a distinct class of citizenship in the form of a privilege tax, should go in greater part to benefit the roads which that class must use. Good roads are as essential to the traveling autoist as are good tracks to the railroad, and he has the right to expect that what is mulcted from him in taxation shall come back to him in the form of improved highways.

"By the grace of the last session of the legislature North Carolina was given a highway commisison. Governor Craig and others supporting the plan have fully realized how vitally necessary it was that there should be some intelligent administration in the construction of our highways, and the State took a long step forward when that commission was appointed. But, mark you, the princely sum of $10,000 per annum is all that the State allowed for the work of this commission, sufficient to pay the salaries of a competent engineer and a secretary. Every county in North Carolina, if it so desires, can share in the benefits of the commission's advice and operations at very little cost, and in some cases at no cost at all.

"Were is possible for the highway commission to receive, say, $130,000 of the automobile tax, it could maintain over two thousand miles of sand-clay roads, and could connect every county seat in North Carolina with roads maintained by the State. We would begin to approach a centralized system of road building so badly needed in a State where there is every imaginable variety of road, with as many methods of construction. Uniformity in road building is highly necessary for successful maintenance, and, in addition to that, the presence of a competent road engineer is needed. What system applied to road building can accomplish is vividly illustrated in that branch of the national highway running from Washington to Atlanta, a road which can be traveled at any time of the year by automobiles and other conveyances. Coupled with the $114,000 of Federal aid, the $130,000 received from auto taxation would in a short time give North Carolina a system of highways second to none. Is it worth while?"

So far as automobilists are concerned in general, we believe that they will agree with the Citizen, unless there is some other way of converting the auto tax to road purposes.

THE STATISTICAL OUTLOOK FOR COTTON IS CHEERING

That was particularly interesting information which Secretary Hester, of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, gave to the cotton growing states, in his annual statement yesterday, showing the total of the world's consumption of cotton for the crop year ended July 31.

Notwithstanding that nearly half the world is at the throat of the other half and millions have been called from peaceful occupations to arms, the consumption of the staple amounted to nearly 15,000,000 bales, an increase of nearly a million over the preceding year. The only decrease shown—and that is slight—was with the foreign mills which took the past year 7,761,000 against 8,053,000 last year. This shortage of demand, however, was more than made up in the consumption of American mills, the North having increased its consumption from 2,618,000 bales to 3,005,000 bales this year. In the South, however, there was the greatest increase, the mills below the Mason and Dixon line consuming this year, 4, 047,000 bales against only 3,163,000 bales during the last crop year.

Mr. Hester placed the total visible and invisible supply of American cotton July 31, at 3,635,000 bales against 5,629,000 at the end of the preceding season. All of which are encouraging figures to the grower who will have the staple for sale this fall, if Jupiter Pluvius will only cease his operations and give the farmer half a chance.

TOWN PUMPS AND ALLIED USERS.

To the Editor of The Star:

Some things are ridiculous and some are scandalous. Our town pumps belong to the latter classification. Just this morning I watched one of them in use for about five minutes and this is something of what I saw.

At first sight there were present three small white boys with an "express" wagon, besides a nurse with two little shavers, one in her arms and the other running about amusing himself generally. The small boys pumped their water, loaded it up on their "express" and with a string for shafts soon "hauled their freight" and were gone.

In the meantime the nurse was "visiting" with another colored woman while the small toddler played about the pump. He worked the handle a stroke or so but found that too hard for his strength. He caressed the spout of the pump but found no response, so he went and sat on top and aside the vessel the nurse had brought for water and had filled. The vessel was a sort of milk bucket affair and the child reminded one of a flamingo on her churn-like nest as he sat astride the water pail. Next came two active looking young men in work clothes who took the oyster cup off the top of the rod that forms part of the pump. One pumped while the other gave the cup a shaking in the flowing water and then caught some and both drank and hurried away. A colored postman next appeared. He also rinsed the oyster cup and took a drink.

By this time the nurse and the other woman had to be going so the nurse led away the small toddler who protested in tears. As nurse and charge departed a small colored urchin arrived and being more fastidious than some of the older ones just gone he would not touch the cup on top of the pump. Evidently he knew a germ when he saw one. So with one hand he stopped up the spout and pumped with the other till he had the reservoir of the pump filled and then he drank from the mouth of the pump, putting in the process both hand and lips on the mouth of the pump. And this is a very usual and ordinary way of treating a town pump, as we all very well know. With the flow of the refreshing liquid down the face and throat of the little drinker he went.

By this time a small girl came bearing a beautiful bucket. She was about 12 years old and the morning was warm, so after pumping just a dipper or so of water into her bucket she sat down on the near-by low stone wall where the "Town Pump Visiting" is done, and gathered the bucket between her knees and supported it wtih her bare legs along side. There for some minutes she sat and apparently dreamed of sunny Africa, the land of her fathers. And as she dreamed perhaps she saw some ebony prince come and bear her away to his throne beyond Jungle Land. But as she dreamed she rinsed the lower inside of her bucket in a half-forgetful sort of way with the tips of two or three fingers. After awhile she lifted her fingers toward her nose, bethought herself of her duties, went back to the pump, rinsed the mouth of the pump with her hand, and with her back to the pump she proceeded to fill her bucket leisurely, though a colored wagoner had stopped his team and was waiting for a drink. Then she departed.

Whereupon the wagoner proceeded to use the pump and the cup in allaying his thirst. But first he smelt the cup. Then I departed.

AN OFT OBSERVER.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The next thing that the Democracy of the State will have to attend to will be the selection of an Elector-at-Large, the position now held by Mr. J. O. Carr, of Wilmington, who is to be the United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina. The only man thus far mentioned is Hon. N. A. Sinclair, of Fayetteville.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Unless the price of print paper goes down, every newspaper in the country will be forced to raise the price of its subscription or face a deficit month after month that ultimately will force it to go out of business. Already some newspapers are finding it necessary to meet the emergency with increased subscription rates. One of these is the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, which announces an increase in the price of its daily edition, effective today. The high cost of print paper is given as the cause of the increase. A dispatch from New York says that the contract covering the white paper supply of the Globe-Democrat has recently expired and that the paper was forced to pay four cents per pound for an emergency supply. This is almost double the price at which white paper could be purchased in large lots four years ago. Several newspapers throughout the country have been unable to secure white paper at any cost, and, as a result, have had to suspend publication. The news from Atlanta is that the Journal and Georgian-American have raised their street sale price one cent a copy and their carrier subscription rate three cents per week.—Winston-Salem Journal.

WORLD'S COTTON CONSUMPTION

New High Record Reached in Consumption of American Staple.

New Orleans, Aug. 3.—The total world's consumption of American cotton during the year ending July 31 amounted to 14,813,000 bales, an increase of 979,000 bales over the preceding season, and a new high record for the consumption for the American staple according to a statement issued today by H. G. Hester, secretary of the New Orleans cotton exchange. According to details of Secretary Hester's statement consumption for the year just ended among Southern mills was 4,047,000 bales, against 31,63,000 the preceding year; among Northern mills 3,005,000, against 2,618,000 the preceding year; among Northern mills 3,005,000, against 2,618,000 last year; among foreign mills 7,761,000 against 8,053,000 last year. These figures showed the gain in world's consumption of American cotton was entirely among mills in this country and it was sufficiently large to more than offset a small loss abroad.

Mr. Hester placed the total visible and invisible supply of American cotton July 31, last, at 3,635,000 bales, against 5,629,000 at the end of the preceding season. The total visible supply was 2,129,000 bales, against 3,282,000 the previous year.

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HEALTH IS WEALTH

by John B. Huber, A.M., M.D.

Without health life is but weariness.—RABELAIS.

Nursing Infantile Paralysis.

THE suffering child must be isolated in a room as nearly furniture free as possible; carpets and hangings should be removed beforehand. The child's toys and books are after its recovery or death disinfected or destroyed. The sick room is well aired several times daily; the floor mopped; the woodwork frequently wiped with damp cloths. Never sweep the floor when it is dry, for dust may contain the germ. Before sweeping sprinkle the floor with moistened tea leaves, sawdust or newspaper bits.

There should be but one nurse (or a day and a night nurse), besides whom only the doctor should enter the room. The nurse should not communicate with the rest of the family; but should pass soiled articles to an attendant at the door, who will in turn pass in all the things needed in the sick room. No visitors, dogs, cats or other creatures.

Plates, cups—all eating utensils used by the patient are kept in the sick room for his especial use—are never removed nor mixed with utensils used by others; they are washed in the room in hot soapsuds, and then rinsed in boiling water. Then the soapsuds are thrown into the water closet.

Discharges from the patient's nose and mouth are received on handkerchiefs or cloths, which are at once either burned or are immersed in a two per cent. carbolic acid solution (prepared by dissolving slowly three ounces of pure carbolic acid to one gallon of hot water).

All cloths, bed linens and personal clothing which have in any way come in contact with the patient must be immersed in the carbolic solution for at least two hours; then they may be removed from the room and boiled in water or soapsuds for fifteen minutes. Surfaces of any kind soiled with the patient's discharges must be immediately washed with the carbolic solution. After making applications to the throat and nose of the patient and before eating, the nurse's hands should be thoroughly disinfected by laving them in the carbolic solution and then washing them in hot soapsuds.

After the health authorities have terminated the quarantine and have ordered fumigation, the patient's entire body is bathed and the hair shampooed with soapsuds. The recovered child is then dressed in clean clothes (which have not been in the sick room during the illness), and removed from the room.

The nurse then takes a like bath and puts on clean clothes before mingling with the family or with other people. Her clothing worn during the illness must be left in the sick room to be fumigated with room and its contents. Under no circumstances should the sick room be again entered or occupied, or anything removed from it, until fumigation has been done.

DISINFECTION.

Answer to A. H. S.: When contagious disease is in the house follow carefully the instructions of the health officer regarding the disinfection of the secretions from the nose and throat; of the discharges; of the patient's body; and of the premises, when the patient has recovered. In waiting on a sick person, come in actual contact with him as little as possible. Wash your hands thoroughly before leaving the sick room, especially before handling food or milk.

CRAMPS.

W. F. F. writes: Some time ago you published an article on cramps in the leg, etc. If you could give me the date possibly I could obtain a copy of the paper, as I would like to know the cause of this ailment. 2. Also will you please tell me what I can mix with milk so that it will agree with me? I drink a quart at lunch.

Answer: 1. Don't remember, or I would send you a copy myself. Possibly you refer to my articles of June 5-8, on Neuritis. Cramps in the leg are due to muscular exertion, alcoholism, kidney trouble, gout, diabetes or hysteria. If yours persist, you had better get examined. Write me further, if you like. 2. A tablespoonful of lime water to a glass of milk will make it digestible. Better cut your quart down to a pint, and make up with a sandwich or two.

SUGGESTION TO O. M.

Send me your full name and address, in care of your newspaper. All my friends who ask my advice in this column should do the same. You need have not the slightest fear but that your confidence will be fully respected. Your letter contains matter which should not be answered publicly.

John B. Huber

This column is devoted to disease prevention; to physical and mental hygiene; to domestic, industrial and public sanitation; to the promotion of health; efficiency and long life. The latest developments in medical science will be presented. Questions of general interest will be answered here, space permitting—all others by mail if stamped return envelope is enclosed. Requests for personal diagnosis or treatment cannot, however, be considered in any way.

TOMORROW: Home Health Hints.

FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage executed by Matilda A. Hayden, Mary Katherine Hayden, Mary T. Hayden and John Henry Hayden to Nonie F. King, dated the 14th day of February, A. D., 1914, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 74, page 424 et seq., expose for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the front Court House door of New Hanover County, on Monday, the 7th day of August, A. D., 1916, at 12 o'clock M., all the right, title, intefest, property and estate of the said John Henry Hayden in and to all of that lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the county of New Hanover, state of North Carolina, city of Wilmington, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Third street, 66 feet south from the intersection of said western line of Third street with the southern line of Princess street, and running thence southwardly along said western line of Third street 66 ft.; thence westwardly parallel to Princess street 165 ft.; thence northwardly parallel to Third street 66 ft.; thence eastwardly parallel to Princess street 165 ft. to the point of beginning. The same being the eastern half of Lot 2, Black 166, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington.

At this sale, only the interest of the said John Henry Hayden will be sold, and not the interest of Matilda A. Hayden, who owns a life estate in the same, nor the interest or Mary Katherine Hayden, Mary T. Hayden, or Ellen Agnes Hayden.

Dated and posted this the 7th day of July, A. D., 1916.

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E. K. BRYAN, Attorney.
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GREAT TIME IN WILMINGTON

Confederate Veteran Writes of the Many Pleasures of the Recent Reunion.

"Out of one pleasure into five hundred more," is a terse expression used by Mr. C. S. Powell, of Smithfield, N. C., a farmer and Confederate Veteran, in a letter to The Star telling about the glorious time he had at the recent reunion of the North Carolina division in Wilmington. He tells how he saw anew in his imagination the familiar sights and scenes of the war days more than 50 years ago, how he reviewed again his old tramping ground of those days and remarks upon the great progress the city has made since that time.

"You may never know how I enjoyed every minute of the reunion," Mr. Powell begins. "The splendid programme, lavish entertainment and cheery welcome of the citizens was indeed a great pleasure. While there I greeted old battle scarred comrades and reviewed the scenes of my old stamping grounds of the horrible war period, when small pox and yellow fever carried many of my comrades to the Great Beyond."

"It was with mingled pleasure and sadness that I viewed the old site of the railroad station on the river front. I saw again the ferry, the long line of government and private sheds, the cotton compress across the river, the ferry at the foot of Market street, the long narrow market building, the great yards of turpentine and rosin, the old fire engine house, the big gun battery and magazines on Cowan's Island, the old gas tank, Greenfield pond, and the line of city and river defenses, that stretched across the plank road, to Smith's creek and North East river at Hilton.

"I zigzaged through the suburbs to the old Marion Hospital that was then situated on a sand plain surrounded by wild grape and black jack bushes. Then through old Camp Hill, and back through Dry Pond, by the old Fifth Street Methodist church, where the devout old preacher, Grant, warned us of the wrath to come.

"I visited old Camp Lamm, old Sampson graveyard, where the city roustabouts gathered to spin yarns, and the old mansion on Market street that had once been General Whiting's headquarters. These were about the only recognizable places. The city has grown and spread out to such an extent that I experienced a little feeling of sadness at the passing of all the old landmarks.

"Such is progress, but it is indeed pleasing to be invited to see your city in its twentieth century march with its sister cities. The elaborate decorations in our honor, the great speech of welcome by Mr. Wright, the comfortable dormitories with the good shake downs for our tottering forms, the splendid hash house or mission arrangements, with its fine cooking and courteous corps of attendants, and the splendid food will not soon be forgotten. No tipping to get attention, those waiters were 'Johnnies-on-the-Spot.'

"The automobile parade, the first ever tendered the veterans, kind of turned our heads a little, causing us to think that you considered us somebody after all. That it was enjoyed and appreciated, goes without saying.

"Mr. C. D. Gilbert, the gentleman that I was fortunate to ride with, took us for a ride through Greenfield and Sunset Park, a twenty-mile drive on good roads. This took us by my old stamping ground on Masonboro Sound.

"We returned to Wilmington, and bade a reluctant farewell to our host who has our best wishes for all the blessings of this life and safe arrival at the Great Beyond.

"Oh! the fine trip by trolley to Wrightsville! The beautiful Lumina, the fine orchestra music, picture show, the old cotillion dance, the march and parade with lady partners around the great dance pavillion! The reception by the Cape Fear Chapter of Daughters of the Confederacy! It seemed like we were in dreamland. My partner, Mrs. Mendenhall, from Lexington, was a Piedmont gem. I felt like a little dog in high oats, but pulled through.

"I might say of the whole affair, as Queen Sheba of King Solomon, 'the half has not yet been told.' To round out my pleasures I spent one day on Topsail sound playing with the pig and croaker fish, 64 of which I caught. Then Dr. J. T. Schonwold took me into town and until Sunday morning it was out of one pleasure into 500 more. Mrs. J. W. Harper, to cap the climax, invited us to sheephead fishing and I am thinking over that proposition now. I am now on my old cornbread, buttermilk and pea grub, but Wilmington takes the cake."

STEAMER EDILIO ARRIVES

Italian Steamship Will Take on Cargo Cotton—Other Ports News.

The Italian steamship Edilio arrived in port yesterday from Baltimore and Newport News and will take on a part cargo of cotton for her return voyage across the Atlantic. The Edilio is a vessel larger than the ordinary tramp steamers that put into this port, being of 2,952 tons. She is in charge of Captain Collo and sailed from Genoa on July 4. She is consigned to Alexander Sprunt & Son and is berthed at one of the wharves at the Champion Compress, where her part cargo of cotton will be loaded.

The barge Pensacola, under tow of the tug Virginian, arrived in port yesterday from Chisholm's Island with a cargo of phosphate rock for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co. The vessel is consigned to C. D. Maffitt & Co.

U. S. lighthouse ship Cypress arrived yesterday from Charleston, being on an inspection trip of the lighthouses and buoys along the coast of the Carolinas. The Cypress was berthed last night at the Clyde Line terminals at the foot of Castle street.

Injured; Brought Here.

Wallace correspondence Duplin Record: "Robert, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mc Herring, of near Wallace, was painfully and perhaps seriously injured Saturday afternoon when he was kicked by a mule in the abdomen, causing pain so great that it was found to be necessary to take him to a hospital for consultation. He was taken to James Walker, Wilmington, accompanied by Dr. J. W. Carroll, his sister, Mrs. Geo. Boney, and uncle, Mr. S. H. Colwell. An operation was deemed imperative, and it was found that though there was no perforation, as yet, but terrible internal bruises which are causing his physicians a great deal of uneasiness, apparently he is doing fairly well.

Lumina Open-Air Theatre

Tomorrow night—big five-reel Knickerbocker drama, "Pay Dirt."

See That Chicken Thief Chase.

At the police picnic, Lumina, August 9th.

PACKING HOUSE ITINERARY

Campaign Will be Carried Into Surrounding Counties by Campaign Committee Next Week.

Beginning next Wednesday, the campaign for the packing house in Wilmington will be carried into the six counties immediately surrounding New Hanover—Brunswick, Columbus, Bladen, Pender, Duplin and Onslow.

The following is the itinerary fixed yesterday by the committee showing the places and time for meetings to be held in all these counties. Circulars are being printed and will be sent all over the territory, and notices will be sent to all the local papers in these counties and the people will be urged to attend these meetings to give encouragement to this enterprise, which is to be the one industry that everybody in the surrounding territory can unite on and own and operate for the benefit of the entire population:

Wednesday, August 9—Winnabow, 9 a. m.; Bolivia, 11 a. m.; Supply, 1:30 p. m.; Shallotte, 3:30 p. m.

Thursday, August 10—Bolton, 10 a. m.; Whiteville, 3 p. m.

Friday, August 11—Clarkton, 11 a. m.; Bladenboro, 2:30 p. m.

Monday, August 14—Long Creek, 9 a. m.; Atkinson, 1 p. m.; Point Caswell, 3:30 p. m.

Tuesday, August 15—Rocky Point, 9 a. m.; Burgaw, 11 a. m.; Wallace, 3 p. m.

Wednesday, August 16—Warsaw, 11 a. m.; Kenansville, 2 p. m.

Thursday, August 17—Jacksonville, 9 a. m.; Sneed's Ferry, 1:30 p. m.

The campaign committee has arranged for a large number of business men of Wilmington to go on these trips into the outside counties and for a pleasure jaunt as well as a business visit these trips are expected to prove a boon for the business men of Wilmington to get newly acquainted with the people of Wilmington's trade radius, to cultivate their good will, and to urge them to participate in the most popular movement that has probably ever been started by this city.

Business men will be asked not only to go on these trips, but to contribute their automobiles for one or more trips, choosing the days and places they desire especially to visit. It is urged by the committee that those desiring to go on one or more of these trips and those who will contribute their cars for one or more days, to send or telephone their names to Mr. W. W. Love or his place of business, giving the number of passengers the car will carry.

Those who go along with the "Packing House Special" during the seven days it is scheduled to run will be given an opportunity to exercise their forensic abilities at the meetings. Of course, none will be "made" to speak, but merely given the opportunity of trying out that dormant quality that has been in pickle ever since the "Boy Stood on the Burning Deck."

GREAT WATERSPOUT IS SEEN

Commissioner Walter E. Yopp Got Close View of Spectacular Sight Near Carolina Beach.

The grandest and most spectacular sight he ever witnessed is the way County Commissioner Walter E. Yopp describes the great waterspout of which he got a close view, two miles north of Carolina Beach, Wednesday afternoon as it swept westward from across the Atlantic ocean towards land, raising a tall swirling, towering, funnel-shaped mass of water from the sea 300 feet or more to a cloud, It came directly toward the shore and striking the sandy beach tore up the earth, finally being absorbed into the cloud in part while the other moisture fell to the earth.

Commissioner Yopp and several other followers of the art that made Izaak Walton famous had been fishing but strange to say hadn't had much luck. After giving it up for a bad job, they had come ashore and all had gone except Mr. Yopp, who was just cranking his automobile to go to his summer home at Carolina Beach when his attention was attracted to a strange phenomenon across the ocean, a mile or more away.

Mr. Yopp stopped in amazement and wondered if he was dreaming or if it really was an actual occurrence. He had seen several waterspouts before but never one like that. It came swiftly towards the land and as he got a closer view of it, Mr. Yopp estimated that it must have been fully 300 feet in height and not less than 20 or 30 feet in diameter. It towered up in the shape of a funnel and at the top extending from the black cloud was something that had the appearance of a pipe. The mass of water was being rapidly whirled around evidently by wind of cyclonic force. As it struck the land great masses of sand were caught up. It was just about this time that Mr. Yopp decided it was time to go home. He was afraid that he might be caught in it.

The waterspout was viewed from Carolina Beach by several hundred people who had gone down to attend the truckers' picnic. However, the sight was not as spectacular from this point as farther up the beach. But it was spectacular enough to cause all those who saw it to opine the opinion that after all there are some new things under the sun.

Waterspouts in this section are not uncommon and in fact several have been seen this summer. But they are not usually so large. Their cause is described by physical geographers as being due to a cloud in which a vacuum is formed by rapidly whirling wind currents below. Naturally if the cloud passes over a body of water, the stirring up of the surface causes the water to be sucked up in exactly the same manner as if it were pumped from a well by the ordinary vacuum pump.

Handle Camp Glenn Mail.

Mr. Enoch L. Lee, one of the senior clerks at the Wilmington postoffice an odne of the most efficient men in the postal service here, has been ordered by the Department and left yesterday for Camp Glenn, Morehead City, to take charge of the situation there with reference to the handling of the large amount of mail matter for the some three thousand soldiers encamped there. There is a regular postoffice on the encampment grounds with daily mail, but it is understood that things have not been going so well, hence the decision to send a thoroughly trained postal man to see that the mail is handled properly and promptly for Uncle Sam's fighting men.

SENDING SUPPLIES TO NEEDY

Contributions for Flood Sufferers Now Nearly $2,000—Several Boxes of Clothing Forwarded.

The Wilmington members of the State Storm Relief Committee have been advised that in addition to liberal contributions in money made from different sections of the State, for the relief of those people in Western North Carolina who suffered severe losses on account of the recent floods, that several shipments of clothing and other supplies have been solicited by the ladies in different towns and sections and forwarded to the stricken districts to be distributed to those most in need. Such shipments have recently been sent to Rutherfordton, Wilkesboro and Taylorsville.

The ladies in Wilmington have also been very active in collecting clothing, blankets, and things useful for the homes, and on yesterday a box of over 100 pieces of clothing was sent by Mrs. A. M. Waddell, chairman of the Wilmington Chapter of the National Special Aid Society, to Mrs. Cameron MacRae, at Biltmore, N. C., to be distributed in that territory. Today a similar shipment is being sent forward by Mrs. George Thomas to the State Storm Relief Committee at Marion, N. C. Another shipment will be sent to Mt. Airy as soon as ready.

In this connection it should be stated that Mrs. George G. Thomas, No. 319 Market street, has very kindly offered to receive any articles which may be collected for this purpose, and she will have them packed and shipped to the points where they are most needed. Mrs. Thomas is working with the local members of the State Relief committee in this matter.

The contributions from the Wilmington district to the fund for the relief of the flood sufferers, forwarded by Mr. Hugh MacRae and Col. Walker Taylor, local members of the committee, to the chairman of the State Relief committee have so far amounted to $1,944.12. It is expected that within another day the contributions will pass the $2,000 mark.

The contributions made so far as reported to this paper are:

Previously acknowledged	$1,921.12
Wilmington Light Infantry	10.00
St. John's Junior Auxiliary	2.00
Cash	10.00
J. A. J.	1.00
Total	$1,944.12

—A well dressed white woman, who refused to give her name and address, was run into and knocked down by a colored bicyclist at Market alley on Front street yesterday morning. While Officer Sessoms was assisting the woman, the negro made his escape. The woman stated that she was unhurt, and desired no further publicity, and for this reason declined to give her name.

VETERAN CONDUCTOR IS DEAD

Capt. W. L. Harlow Passed Away Yesterday at Home in Wilmington. Was Just to Fellow Man.

Capt. William LaFayette Harlow, one of the veteran conductors of the Atlantic Coast Line, who recently retired from active service, passed away yesterday morning at 8:45 o'clock at his home, No. 314 Chestnut street. His death will be learned with sorrow by hundreds of friends not only in Wilmington but over the entire A. C. L. system. Quiet and unassuming in manner he was always just to his fellowman.

While Captain Harlow had not been in good health for some time, he had not been seriously ill for more than ten days before his death. He retired from his run out of Wilmington a few weeks ago in order to recuperate. His recovery was expected up to a short time before the end and the news of his death came as a great shock to a host of friends.

The funeral will be conducted from the residence this afternoon at 5 o'clock by Archdeacon Thos. P. Noe. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

Captain Harlow was the son of William Shepherd and Elias Davis Harlow and was born at Hamilton, N. C., February 27, 1850. He was, therefore, in the 67th year of his age. Too young to carry a gun in the War Between the States, he nevertheless went with his father serving as a drummer boy in the Third North Carolina Regiment. He was at the battle of Gettysburg and other battles of the war.

It was 1874 that he entered the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line and continued with this road until in May of this year. He was one of the most competent and faithful conductors on the system and by his genial manner won hundreds of friends.

In 1879 he was married to Miss Amelia Harriss, daughter of the late Dr. W. W. Harriss, of Wilmington. Surviving besides his wife are four daughters, Mrs. R. G. Rankin, Miss Amy Harlow, Miss Louise Harlow and Miss Wilhelmina Harlow, all of this city. Surviving also is a brother, who lives in Florida. The bereaved family will have the sincere sympathy of a host of friends.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed for record yesterday: George B. Applewhite to J. E. Burriss and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on the west side of Third street, 110 feet south of Meares, 42 by 90 feet in size; Wilmington Beach Corporation to Mrs. C. P. Kelly, for $1 and other considerations, lot at Wilmington Beach; W. A. Dick, trustee, to A. E. Mann, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Carolina Court; C. B. Parmele to E. L. Watkins and wife, for $10 and other considerations, lot on the west side of Seventeenth street, 117 feet south of Market; A. F. Swinson and wife and D. H. Howes, Jr., to Lena Athner, for $1 and other considerations, lot at Carolina Place.

Mr. Durant Opens Business.

Mr. O. E. Durant, formerly with the Wilmington Produce Company at Water and Dock streets and more recently with the Acme Grocery Co., at the same location, announces in today's Star that he has opened business for himself at Water and Market streets in the building formerly occupied by the Tidewater Gocery Company. Mr. Durant is a young man who has had extensive experience in the produce business and is well known in the city, he will handle country produce and carry a full line of retail groceries.

Wednesday, August 9th,
Police excursion at Lumina.

MUST INCREASE TAX RATE

Chairman W. A. McGirt Says New Hanover Must Do This or Issue Extra Bonds for Road Improvement.

That it will be necessary to increase the tax rate of New Hanover county for the ensuing year from $1.10, the rate of last year, to $1.25, if the improvement of the roads is to be continued, or else issue bonds, is the opinion of the Board of Commissioners as expressed in a statement made yesterday by Chairman W. A. McGirt.

Chairman McGirt in his statement explains that on January 1st of next year, court house bonds to the amount of $7,800 will mature and an increase of three and one-fourth cents in the general fund rate is proposed. Other increases proposed are for the Northeast river bridge and the road bonds sinking fund. Following is the statement made by Chairman McGirt yesterday:

"Monday, August 7th, is the date fixed by the law to make the tax levy for this year. To the end that the public may be kept advised of all matters pertaining to the business of the county, we have always considered it advisable to issue a comparative statement of the old rate and proposed tax rate, in order that the tax-payers might be given the opportunity to recommend or suggest any changes, before the levy is made. Special attention is called to the first three items in the statement below, viz: State, Schools and Special Schools. The rates found opposite these items are fixed by law and cannot be changed by us. The fourth item shows an increase of 3 3-12c in the general fund, which is made necessary by reason of the fact that Court House bonds amounting to $7,800.00 will fall due January 1st, 1917, and some provision must be made for this debt.

"The Northeast river bridge fund and the Road Bonds Sinking fund show slight increases while all other items remain the same as last year, with exception of the Road Fund which shows an increase of 10c the necessity for which is explained below.

Statement.

	1915	1916
State	27 8-12	27 8-12
Schools	20	20
Special Schools	15	15
General Fund	15 9-12	19
Hospital	4 6-12	4 6-12
N. E. Bridge Fund	1	1 1-12
School Bonds Sinking Fund	5	5
Road Bonds Sinking Fund	6 4-12	8
Workhouse Bonds sinking Fund	1 3-12	1 3-12
Health Department	3 6-12	3 6-12
Road Fund	10	20
	$1.10	$1.25

"If the road work is to continue in New Hanover county, bonds must be voted or an increase made in the rate, in order to provide for the expenditure. A bond issue of $50,000 has been authorized but has not been submitted to the people for ratification. Therefore, we submit for your consideration the advisability of an increase of 10c in the rate to be applied to the Road Fund. The question narrows itself down to whether you will increase your bonded indebtedness or whether you would prefer to increase the rate 10c and pay cash for the work in future. One or the other must be done if the road work is to be continued. The board will give due consideration to any suggestions made by the people relative to the above matter.

"W. A. McGIRT, Chairman,
"Board of Commissioners."

CAROLINA APARTMENT HOUSE IS NOW BEING RENOVATED.

Improvements Will Result in Making Building Much More Attractive.

The interior of the Carolina Apartment house at Fifth and Market streets, one of the largest and most conveniently arranged apartment houses in any city in the South, is now being completely renovated, the work being in charge of Mr. H. Pier Giavani, of Washington, D. C. The reception hall and entrance hallway is being re-decorated. The walls are to be finished in old ivory and gold and the woodwork entrance to the two elevators will be of a silver gray, all of which will present a cheerful, bright and beautiful appearance. The marble sides and marble floor of the lobby are also being treated.

This six-story building was erected seven years ago and contains 38 apartments, some of them being equipped for light housekeeping and others being "bachelor" apartments. Each housekeeping apartment is equipped with a modern little kitchen with gas stove, kitchen cabinet and hot and cold water sinks.

On the first floor is a splendidly equipped dining room for the occupants of the bachelor apartments and others who do not care to bother with housekeeping. This has always been one of the most attractive features of the building.

In the basement, which is well ventilated, is the machinery for the elevators, the electrically driven deep well and the heating plant. Also in the basement is a series of lockers, corresponding with the apartments above, each fitted with its own lock and key, providing a great convenience for the storing of excess goods, old trunks, etc.

Artesian water, pumped from a depth of about 140 feet, is one of the most desirable features of the building. The Carolina has always been very popular and the fact that a majority of the dwellers here have remained in the building since it was first opened, is a fine tribute to the good service and careful management that is constantly maintained.

WARNING TO MOTORISTS.

Violators of Speed Ordinance Will be Punished.

On account of the numerous complaints being made daily of the violation of the speed law by motor vehicles, Sheriff S. P. Cowan has issued a public warning to all motorists. Hereafter a close watch will be kept on all vehicles whose speed is regulated by an ordinance, and each violator will be punished. Sheriff Cowan says that all parties traveling on the roads are entitled to protection, and that every effort will be made to give the public the protection that they are entitled to.

MR. FOREMAN NOT GONE.

Wilmington Man Returned Home After Being Absent for the Night.

Mr. J. G. Foreman, who lives at No. 105 Dock street, who was reported to the police as having disappeared from his home in an unaccountable manner on Monday of this week, returned after having been away for the night. He explained his absence as being due to his having been knocked down and temporarily unbalanced by the blow. However, he had not left the city, as was at first reported, and has returned to his work, his numerous friends will be glad to learn.

SERVICE

The value of a bank's service to depositors and borrowers depends upon the scope, character and efficiency of the service rendered.

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AN AUTOMOBILE TRAGEDY.

Spectators Hold Informal Inquest Over Body of Victim.

A big, high-powered automobile whirled around the corner of Third and Dock streets yesterday morning, there was a sickening thud, a half smothered cry, and another tragedy had been added to the already long list charged to reckless motorists. The chauffeur did not stop, he merely glanced indifferently over his shoulder at the spot where a group of morbid-minded spectators were gathering around the fast-stiffening body of his latest victim.

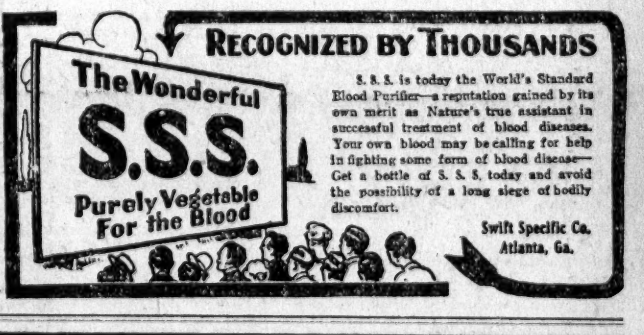
One member of the crowd, perhaps hardened by constant association with such tragedies, poked the mangled body of the unfortunate pedestrian with the toe of his shoe while another touched the lid of one of the fast glazing eyes. A policeman passing a nearby corner paused, glanced curiously at the assembled group, and sauntered leisurely down the street. There is no telling how long this informal inquest might have lasted had not the garbage collector approached, and, taking the rigid body of the big white leghorn rooster in his cart, disappeared down the street.

Transferred to Rocky Mount.

Mr. Gassaway S. Grimes, who for several years has held a position as stenographer in the traffic department of the Atlantic Coast Line here, goes this week to Rocky Mount where he will hereafter hold a position in the office of General Superintendent W. H. Newell, of the same company. Mr. and Mrs. Grimes are very popular among a wide circle of friends in Wilmington, who regret that they are leaving this city.

Warsaw's New Depot.

Duplin Record: "Material is now being placed for the erection of Warsaw's new union depot. A force of hands are engaged in removing the old guano sheds and clearing away space for the structure."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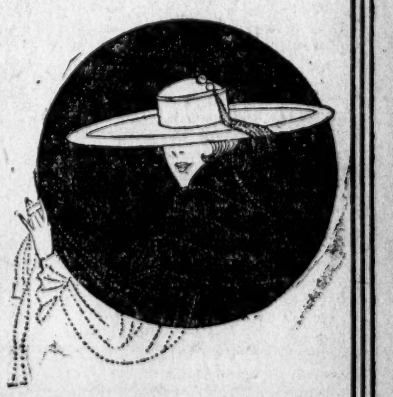

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Palm Olive Vanishing Cream, at ..... 39¢
Honey Moon Toilet Water, at ..... 39¢
Palm Olive Soap, at ..... 8¢
Sweet Maiden Soap, at ..... 8¢

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Only the necessity for a speedy reduction of stocks could be responsible for such substantial reductions in price as the following items will indicate:

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20c White Voiles, 36 in. wide, at ..... 12½¢
20c White Flaxons, 36 in. wide, at ..... 15¢

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lacy, of Raleigh, were guests at Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Godwin, Jr., of New Bern, were in the city yesterday, guests at the Wilmington.

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Miss Louise Knight, of Baltimore, Md., is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. P. Collier, No. 302 North Front street.

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Mrs. W. F. Richter will leave this morning for Charleston, S. C., where her mother, Mrs. F. Holland, is very ill.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Petross left last night for a visit of several weeks to friends in Richmond, Va., and New York.

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The B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church will hold its regular monthly business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen and two children, of Raleigh, are visiting Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. Thomas H. Hawkins, No. 205 North Seventh street.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Fullbright, of Carthage, hav returned home after spending several days with their parents, Capt. and Mrs. O. D. Burriss, No. 305 Harnett street.

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Misses Mary and Fannie Mitchell returned yesterday from a brief visit to Raleigh, where they expect during the coming season to teach in the graded schools of that city.

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Mrs. J. W. Fleet, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Palmgren, has gone to Latta, S. C., to spend a short while with her daughter, Mrs. M. M. Sellars, formerly Miss Katie Fleet, of this city.

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Mrs. T. H. Thompson, who has been visiting in Petersburg, Va., for the past few weeks, has returned home. Her daughter, Mrs. G. T. Jones, accompanied her home and will spend several weeks here.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. John L. DeLane have for their guest Mrs. DeLane's father, Major L. Leon, of Wilmington. Major Leon formerly resided in Charlotte and has a host of friends here."

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The regular monthly business meeting of the Epworth League of Trinity Methodist church will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. All members are cordially invited to attend and new members will be cordially welcomed.

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Miss Susan Brinkley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brinkley, No. 417 Chestnut street, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, is getting along as well as could be expected.

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Misses Marie, Martha, and Josephine Greer have returned from a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Swink, at Winston-Salem. While there they were guests at a house party given by their cousin, Miss Mae Katherine Swink, at Vade Mecum Springs.

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Mrs. Robert Ruark and little sons, her mother, Mrs. J. S. Westbrook; her sister, Miss Charles Westbrook, and her niece, Miss Elizabeth Westbrook McGowen, of Wallace, N. C., left yesterday for Lake Junaluska, in Western North Carolina, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

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Mrs. T. E. Clark, assisted by Mrs. S. G. Cowan, entertained a large number of friends Wednesday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Mabel Cooper, of Asheville. Miss Lucile Walton played several enjoyable selections on the piano, including Beethoven's "Minuet," and MacFarland's "Scotch Fantasia." Games were played after which Miss Cowan recited a number of Eugene Field's poems. Mr. Henry Shaw sang a number of songs with Mrs. Walton as accompanist. Delicious refreshments were served.

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INVITATIONS ISSUED FOR OWEN-HERRING WEDDING

Invitations have been received by friends in Wilmington reading as follows:

Mrs. Minnie E. Herring
invites you to be present
at the marriage of her daughter
Ella
to
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on Saturday afternoon,
August the nineteenth
at five o'clock
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Delway, North Carolina

Enclosed are cards reading as follows: "At Home after August thirtieth, nineteen sixteen, 810 Princess street, Wilmington, North Carolina."

—Among yesterday's arrivals at Hotel Wilmington were: R. F. Stedman, Winston-Salem; H. L. Beck, Lexington; J. W. Jordan, Dunn; L. S. Smith, Raleigh; R. M. Williams, Rocky Mount.

WILL MEET NEXT IN RALEIGH

North Carolina Builders' Exchange Had Enjoyable Convention at Wrightsville Beach.

Closing a most enjoyable and profitable convention at the Seashore hotel at Wrightsville Beach with a dinner and fish fry lasht evening, the North Carolina Builders' Exchange adjourned last night to meet again next January in Raleigh. The summer meeting was attended by about 75 contractors and building supply men from all sections of the State, the attendance being somewhat smaller than usual on account of many in the western part of the State having been detained because of conditions caused by the recent floods.

Mayor P. Q. Moore welcomed the visitors with an eloquent address of welcome yesterday morning. The mayor expressed his great pleasure in being able to greet the builders not only as the chief executive of the city of Wilmington but also from personal reasons, pointing out that his father had established a builders' supply business in Wilmington with which he was formerly actively connected.

The address of the Mayor was responded to by Mr. Paul Williams, secretary of the Exchange, who expressed the great pleasure that the association always had in coming to Wrightsville Beach. Mr. Joe W. Stout, of Sanford, submitted his report as president of the Exchange in which he called particular attention to the need of organization and co-operation. Secretary Williams in his report discussed at some length the question of legislation. Mr. Williams expressed approval of the proposed Workmen's Compensation act, pointing out that while some provisions might seem to work a hardship on contractors that on the whole it was much more satisfactory than the present unscientific means of determining what damages should be paid in accidents to workmen.

After the addresses the reports of the different committee were made.

The feature of the afternoon session was an address by Mr. Joe F. Leitner, a well known Wilmington architect, who presented some very interesting facts relative to the growth of the architectural profession. Architecture began with Adam and Eve and through the ages building had ever been one of the chief features of man's activities, he said.

GEO. W. GILLETTE TO HEAD LOCAL COMPANY ENGINEERS

Adjutant General B. S. Royster Sends Commissions for Officers.

Adjutant General B. S. Royster, of the North Carolina National Guard, yesterday announced the appointment of Messrs. George W. Gillette, as captain, and H. R. Faison and W. A. Peschau as lieutenants of the new engineering company organized in Wilmington. Although the announcement of the appointments was not made until yesterday, the commissions will be in effect from August 1.

Captain Gillette and Lieutenant Peschau are both graduates of the A. and M. College and are both engineers of considerable experience. Lieutenant Faison has also had considerable military training, supplemented with engineering experience in Mexico. There are already more than 25 men enlisted in this company who have had experience in engineering circles. Many of these have already passed both the mental and physical examinations.

TO RELIEVE LIEUT. HOLMES

Lieut. Cantwell to Take Charge of Recruiting.

Lieut. Paul L. Cantwell, of the Second Regiment, N. C. National Guard, has been ordered to relieve Lieutenant Edward H. Holmes, of the W. L. I., as head of the recruiting party for State troops in Wilmington and vicinity, in order that the former may attend the encampment with his company at Fort Caswell next week. Lieutenant Cantwell, who was recently commissioned a lieutenant at Camp Glenn, has already arrived with a detail to take charge of the work temporarily.

Assisting Lieutenant Holmes in the local recruiting work are Sergeant A. B. Rhodes, Corporal Nathan Silverman and Private Harry H. Watters. They also will be relieved to attend camp.

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Wrightsville Beach

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cousin, of Macon, Ga., are guests at the Seashore hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Halfield, of Middleton, O., are guests at the Seashore hotel.

Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Fullright, of Carthage, were guests at the Oceanic hotel yesterday.

Misses Nellie C. Carrington and Etta Lancaster, of Rocky Mount, are guests at the Hanover Inn.

Misses Lancelette Ransom and Emily C. Hughes, of Richwood, Ky., are guests at the Seashore hotel.

Mr. James D. Beaty, proprietor of the Temple cottage, is spending the week in South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lee have returned to Rocky Mount after spending some time at the Temple cottage.

Among the recent arrivals at the Hanover Inn are W. B. Enoch, Greensboro; Ed C. Newton and J. W. Davis, Edenton.

Misses Sallie Oates, Mildred Anders and Bettie Taylor and Mr. W. G. Anders, of Faison, are spending some time at the Temple cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Ray, of Charlotte, are spending several days at the Seashore hotel, Mr. Ray having come down to attend the meeting of the Builders' Exchange.

Mesdames A. E. Clark, S. Pittman, A. H. Toler and Ellen Perkins and Mr. R. L. Knott, of Goldsboro, who spent the week-end at the Temple cottage, have returned home.

Mrs. Frank Pearson, of Atlanta, who has been a favorite at the beach for the last several seasons will sing at the Seashore hotel Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Among the arrivals at the Seashore hotel yesterday were W. Edson Detlaw, Charlotte; T. A. Deckey, Middleton, O.; A. B. Carter, Greenville, S. C.; W. P. Webb, Rockingham.

Mrs. Martha A. Oldham and Mrs. John G. Allen and children, Master John and Miss Elizabeth, have returned to Raleigh after spending the month of July at the Temple cottage.

Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Mary Evans is spending the week at Wrightsville Beach, chaperoned by Mrs. John Underwood.—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bullard have gone to Wrightsville Beach to spend ten days.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Miss Mary Edwards has returned home afer spending some time with relatives at Wrightsville Beach. Mrs. Bessie Horton Edwards joined her daughter for a stay of a week or more and aecompanied her home."

Lumina's open-air theatre will have a special attraction tomorrow night in the presentation of a big five-reel Knickerbocker drama, "Pay Dirt," that should prove very attractive. This is one of the best pictures ever shown at Lumina and will grip the interest of all who take the opportunity of following it through the five splendid reels.

LOCAL DOTS

—Mt. Olive Tribue: "Revs. C. T. Green and O. T. Mattox, of Wilmington, conducted a protracted meeting at Salem church (Advent), one mile north of here, last week."

—Capt. C. S. Ridley, United States district engineer, has returned from Morehead City, where he went to attend a meeting of citizens relative to the establishment of harbor lines in the Morehead City harbor. Captain Ridley's report has not yet been made public.

—One of the largest excursions of the summer is expected to arrive in the city this morning from Wilson. The train will be operated in two section and there will be 17 coaches for both white and colored passengers. The first train is due to arrive at 10:05 and will return at 8 p. m.

—A. W. Pate & Co., and the Hanover Transit Co., will move their offices from the southeast corner of Second and Princess streets to the Trust building, corner of Front and Market streets, on October 1, according to an announcement made yesterday. They will occupy three offices in their new quarters.

—Weather Observer Felger stated yesterday that the general prediction for today was fair, with slightly rising temperature. The cool wave that has been prevalent in the northwestern sections of the country has given way to warmer weather, that will cause a warm spell through the central and northwestern regions.

—In the opinion of certain ladies of Sorosis, it was a mistake to change the age limit to 15 for admission to see the wonderful and instructive picture, "Where Are My Children" now being presented at the Victoria, and they feel that the age limit should have remained at 18. The Star is requested to make this statement for the benefit of all who may be interested.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

—Mr. H. L. Gibbs, of Oriental, State Fish Commissioner, was a guest of The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. E. Payson Willard, of Norfolk, Va., is in the city on business and is also exchanging greetings with his friends.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were: J. D. Rogers, and R. E. Whittaker, of Raleigh, and K. C. Denny, of Rocks.

—Services will be held in the Beach Chapel Sunday evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. E. deF. Heald, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Among the arrivals at The Orton last night were: G. T. Morgan, East Arcadia; J. S. Rogers, Raleigh; Alex. Justin, New Bern; J. A. Brown, Chadbourn.

—Mr. J. N. Valentine, the Atlantic Coast Line engineer who sustained injuries of the leg and ankle some time ago, is able to be on the streets again.

—Mr. W. R. Vann, chief forwarding clerk of the A. C. L. freight offices, after a six weeks' vacation for his health, has returned to his duties much improved.

Among the arrivals at The Imperial yesterday were: W. L. Thomas, Burgaw; J. M. Mitchell, Jr., Camp Glenn; L. J. Dellinger, Ivanhoe; C. W. Carter, Rocky Mount; G. G. Royster, Greensboro.

—Yesterday's Raleigh Times: "Louis Cotchett, of Wilmington, will succeed Raymond C. Tyree as stenographer with the Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Tyree accepting a position with the North Carolina Home Insurance Company."

—Among the arrivals at Hotel Wilmington last night were: C. P. Freeman, Morven; E. M. Nance, Fair Bluff; F. D. Benton, Wallace; Theo. Vogel, Jr., Fort Caswell; G. E. Lindsay, Durham; B. A. Keith, Jr., E. P. Godwin, E. M. Godwin, W. C. Godwin, New Bern; J. M. Hunt, Greensboro.

ARE READY FOR CAMP

Captain Dodemeade Goes to Fort Caswell Today to Prepare.

Captain Dodemeade, quartermaster of the North Carolina Coast Artillery Corps, who arrived in the city last night, will leave this morning with a detail from each of the five companies for Fort Caswell, to make preparation for the annual encampment which will be from August 7 to 19. The Wilmington Light Infantry, 65 strong, under the command of Capt. J. B. Lynch, will leave early Monday morning for the camp.

As usual the Wilmington boys will be assigned to the eight-inch guns, with which they have made some very creditable records. The members of the company have been hard at work for several months getting ready for the encampment and Captain Lynch will have perhaps the best drilled company that has ever represented Wilmington at Fort Caswell.

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MRS. J. HOLMES DAVIS DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon After Long Illness—Funeral Today.

The announcement of the death of Mrs. J. Holmes Davis, which occurred yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at her home, No. 1707 Princess street, following a long illness, came as a severe shock to a host of friends in Wilmington and elsewhere. She was thought to be well on the way to recovery after having been critically ill for several weeks but took a sudden turn for the worse at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and steadily sank until the end came. Everything that medical science could provide was utilized in an effort to save her life and so wonderful was her vitality that her physicians thought she had every hope to be restored to normal health again.

Mrs. Davis was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Brewer, of Louisville, Ky., and was only 29 years old. She had lived in Wilmington since her marriage eight years ago and by her lovable disposition had won a host of friends. She was a devoted member of the First Presbyterian church. She was greatly beloved by all who knew her and exerted an influence for good that will be lasting.

Surviving besides her husband and parents are two children, J. Holmes, Jr., and Ruth, and one sister, Mrs. W. A. Leitch, of Wilmington. Mrs. Brewer was called to the city several weeks ago on account of the serious illness of her daughter and was with her when the end came. Mr. Brewer on account of ill health is now at Fort Myers, Fla., and his daughter, Mrs. Leitch, is with him. On account of his physical condition they will not be able to attend the funeral. The grief-stricken husband and the other members of the family will have the tender sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence and will be conducted by Rev. Dr. J. M. Wells, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

—Messrs. A. B. Gore and W. D. Deane, of Bolton, were in the city yesterday, guests at Hotel Wilmington.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON JUMPS STILL HIGHER

December, January and March Futures Go Considerably Above 14 Cents. Spot Quotation 13.85.

New York, Aug. 3.—The cotton market showed renewed activity and increased excitement during the day's trading, December selling up to 14.23 or 41 points above last night's closing figures and 95 points above the low level of last Tuesday. Demand then became less urgent and there were reactions in the late trading with December closing at 14.08, while the general list closed steady at an advance of 24 to 30 points. The opening was firm at an advance of 7 to 12 points in response to relatively high cables and the active months sold 12 to 15 points net higher right after the call. Realizing was extremely heavy but offerings were very well absorbed on reactions of 8 to 9 points. The weather report for the Houston district showing showers at only three points with high temperatures stimulated buying, added reports of clearing weather with higher temperatures in Oklahoma.

Following reports that the annual statement of the New Orleans cotton exchange indicated that the world's consumption of American cotton for the season amounted to 14,800,000 bales, the buying became excited and local traders said that it looked almost like a "run-away market." Stop orders were uncovered while there was active re-buying by recent sellers and urgent covering by Wall Street shorts. October sold up to 13.98; January to 14.29, and May to 14.50, with the general list showing net gains of from 32 to 41 points toward the middle of the afternoon. Realizing naturally increased at this level while the excitement subsided as the demand from shorts tapered off and closing prices showed reactions of some 10 to 15 points from the best.

	Open	High	Low	Close
August	13.70	13.51	13.70	
October	13.66	13.98	13.65	13.86
December	12.89	14.23	13.86	14.08
January	12.96	14.29	13.94	14.15
March	14.12	14.40	14.08	14.31

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 13.85; no sales.

DAILY COTTON TABLE

New Orleans—Middling 13.50; receipts 2,641; sales 335; stock 113,626.

Galveston—Middling 14.00; receipts 2,831; exports 3,950; sales 200; stock 63,226.

Mobile—Middling, 13.25; receipts, 148; sales 50; stock 15,135.

Savannah—Middling 13.38; receipts 518; sales 2,691; stock 66,652.

Charleston—Middling 13 1-8; stock 22,080.

Wilmington—Middling 13 1-8; stock 57,655.

Norfolk—Middling 13.63; receipts 323; sales 1,050; stock 33,906.

Baltimore—Stock 2,000.

Boston—Middling 13.45; receipts 57; stock 11,900.

Philadelphia — Middling, 14.10; receipts, 60; stock, 1,191.

New York—Middling, 13.85; receipts, 50; exports, 4,903; stock, 99,644.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 4,337; exports, 5,298; stock, 57,121.

Total today—Receipts, 11,222; exports, 14,151; stock, 544,130.

Total for week—Receipts, 43,251; exports, 70,156.

Total for season—Receipts, 21,354; exports, 16,077.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 14.10; receipts, 616; shipments, 1,412; sales, 250; stock, 19,439.

Memphis — Middling, 13.50; receipts, 197; shipments, 327; sales, 350; stock, 56,421.

Augusta — Middling, 13.38; receipts, 89; shipments, 1,130; sales, 1,7333; stock, 45,944.

St. Louis — Middling, 13¾; receipts, 508; shipments, 508; stock, 8,493.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 391; shipments, 100; stock, 16,152.

Little Rock—Middling, 13.63; receipts, 2; shipments, 313; sales, 313; stock, 6,892.

Dallas—Middling, 13.55.

Montgomery — Middling, 13.25; sales, 3,298.

Total today—Receipts, 1,803; shipments, 3,790; stock, 153,341.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, August 3. — Cotton, spot, strong; good middling, 8.56; middling, 8.40; low middling, 8.24. Sales, 6,000; 300 for speculation and export; receipts, 8,000. Futures, firm.

Closing:

August, 8.32; August-September, 9.29; September-October, 8.27½; October-November, 8.27; November-December, 8.23; December-January, 8.22½; January-February, 8.22; February-March, 8.22½; March-April, 8.22½; April-May, 8.21½; May-June, 8.21; June-July, 8.19½; July-August, 8.18.

New York, August 3. — Rawsugar, dull; centrifugal, 6.14; molasses sugar, 5.37; refined, quiet.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 9½; Santos, No. 4, 10¼.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

Sensational Rise in Prices—Market Shows Much Strength.

New Orleans, Aug. 3.—A sensational rise in the price of cotton in this market followed the announcement today that the world's consumption of American cotton had exceeded all previous records. Secretary Hester of the cotton exchange putting the total for the 12 months ending July 31; at 14,813,000 bales. The previous record was 14,713,000, made in 1912-1913. The market, which had already shown strength on the unsatisfactory crop situation, shot upward to a level 43 to 48 points over yesterday's last quotations. On the most active months the gain was 1-2c a pound, or $2.50 a bale. December went to 14.07. Profit-taking checked the upward movement but without bringing about much of a reaction. The close was very steady at a net gain of 30 to 34 points.

The opening was at the advance in sympathy with a much better Liverpool than due. In the early trading the active months gained 15 to 16 points.

At noon the market was 23 to 24 points up. From this there was a quick spurt to the highest levels of the day.

Closing bid: August 13.55; October 13.70; December 13.30; January 14.00; March 14.19.

Spot cotton firm 25 points up. Sales on the spot 335 bales, to arrive, none; middling 13.50.

WHEAT WEAK; PRICES DROP

Heavy Sales for Realizing More Than Offset Reports of Virtual Crop Failure in Some Sections.

Chicago, August 3. — Heavy sales to realize profits on wheat acted today as more than an offset for reports of a virtual crop failure in a large section of Manitoba and Saskatchewan. The market, which was influenced by reassuring later advices from Canada, lost all of an early advance, and closed weak, at ½@⅝ to ⅞ net decline, with September, 1.29⅞ and December, 1.33⅞.

Corn finished ⅛@¼c. down; oats, up ⅝@1⅛ to 1¼, and provisions at gains of 5 to 32½.

Wheat—September, 1.29⅞; December, 1.33⅞.

Corn — September, 79⅜; December, 68¾.

Oats — September, 42⅞; December, 45⅛.

Pork—September, 24.75.

Lard — September, 12.72; October, 12.70.

Ribs—September, 13.42; October, 13.15.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, new, 1.36½; No. 3, red, new, 1.33⅞@1.35; No. 2, hard, nominal; No. 3, hard, old, 1.32¼@1.35½.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 83½@84½; No. 3, yellow, 83.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Edilio (Ital.), 2,969 tons, Collo, Baltimore, Alex. Sprunt & Son.

Tug Virginian, towing barge Pensacola, Chisholm's Island, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

Cleared.

Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, New York, C. J. Becker, agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Edilio (Ital.), 2,969 tons, Collo, Alex. Sprunt & Son.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,283 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,372 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—43c.

ROSIN—$5.50, $5.30.

TAR — $2.75-11c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$4.00, $4.00, $3.00.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 37¾c; rosin, $2.65, $2.55; tar, $1.70-8c.; crude turpentine, $2.50, $2.50, $1.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 16

Rosin 18

Tar 88

Crude Turpentine 10

Receipts—Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 4 casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, 23 barrels; crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—13 1-8; quotations same day last year, Nominal.

Receipts—156 bales; same day last year 302 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 208,569 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 278,852 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Aug. 3.

Atlantic Coast Line—59 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 5 barrels rosin; 32 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—91 bales cotton.

Str. Whitlock—15 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels rosin; 12 barrels tar.

Shamrock—44 barrels tar.

Thelma—10 barrels tar.

Total—165 bales cotton; 16 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels rosin; 88 barrels tar; 10 barrels crude turpentine.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 3.)

SWEET POTATOES — Yams, 60c. to 65c. bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—80c.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 11c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10c. to 11c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 20c.; first class washed wool, 35c.

HIDES — Green salt, 13c. to 14c.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 19c. to 20c.; sides and shoulders, 15c. to 16c. per pound; good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 50c. to 55c.; spring, 20c. to 30c. head.

EGGS—19c. to 20c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Aug. 3. — North Carolina Peanuts—Market, steady. Fancy hand picked, 70c; No. 1 machine picked, 65c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Market steady; No. 1, small, machine picked, 80c; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petrsburg, Va., Aug. 3. — Spanish — Farmers' stock—Market price $1.00 per bu.

Virginias—Farmers' stock — Market, quiet. Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; Fancy hand picked, 3½c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Prime, 3c. per lb.; Shelling stock, 2½c. to 2¾c. per lb.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 3. — Cotton seed oil scored a good advance on short covering and broadening demand for new crop deliveries, inspired largely by the strength in lard and cotton. Near months reacted somewhat before the close, under selling by cotton houses, but final prices showed net gains of 1 to 15 points. Sales, 33,500 barrels.

Close, firm. Spot, 9.35 bid. January, 8.32@8.34; February, 8.32@8.33; March, 8.44@8.45; August, 9.40@9.54; September, 9.32@9.35; October, 8.75@8.77; November, 8.34@8.35; December, 8.32@8.35.

STOCKS UNDER PRESSURE

Irregularity Marks the Dull Market Further Declines in Leading Motors—Rails Variable.

New York, Aug. 3.—Irregularity marked today's dull market which, like the sessions of the early week, was almost wholly under control of the trading element and prices were moderately depressed.

There were further gross declines of 2 to 5 points in leading motor shares. Cuban American sugar registered an extreme loss of six points with 5 1-4 for Cuban cane, four for South Porto Rico, and 2 1-2 for American Beet.

Weakness of oils, particularly the five point decline of Texas Company, was ascribed to the price adjustment now going on in the oil industry. Mexican Petroleum lost a point. There was another point recession in Bethlehem Steel and moderate pressure on Crucible and Lackawanna Steels. United States Steel traversed an extreme narrow radius but hardened with others of its class on short covering.

Shipping issues were firm to strong and infused vitality to the later dealings, when the more severe losses of the forenoon were largely retr'eved. Miscellaneous specialties like American Woolen, Harvester, Pullman and the so-called merchandise issues were 1 to 3 points lower.

Rails were extremely variable, Union Pacific leading an advancing movement which was retarded by recessions in Canadian Pacific, Chicago and Northwest, Erie 1st preferred and St. Paul.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $2,855,000.

United States bonds unchanged on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	21½
American Beet Sugar	86¾
American Can	54⅜
American Car and Foundry	56⅛
American Cotton Oil .. ..

FLOOD FUND IS NEARING THE $35,000 MARK NOW

Growing Sentiment to Spend Much on Public Work.

Telephone Company Chartered—State Democratic Headquarters Opened —Joyner and Graham at Indian Trail.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 3.—Contributions for the flood sufferers in Western Carolina continue to pour in to the general committee and others authorized to receive the contributions, at the rate of around $1,500 per day, and the grand total of the contributions is now well advanced toward the $35,000 mark, having exceded $30,000 two days ago. It is insisted that $60,000 to $75,000 can easily be used and still have great need for more.

However, there is a strong and growing sentiment to turn a goodly per cent. of this general fund into public works that will give employment at good wages to those men who, with their families, are in need of the help and in this way letting the money so generously contributed by the general public serve the double purpose of giving the aid to the needy intended and at the same time go far toward restoring highways that are so invaluable for the traveling public, local, State-wide and interstate. Many are insisting that not less than $10,000 of the present fund should be applied to such public work, particularly on the Lincolnton-Asheville and the Central highway sections of th main highways.

Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has gone to Indian Trail, Union county, to deliver an address in connection with the two days educational and agricultural rally being held there. Major W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture, is to deliver an address on Co-Operation in connection with this rally.

Chairman Thomas D. Warren, of the State Democratic executive committee, has gone to his home in New Bern for a few days after opening the State headquarters here for the campaign. He expects to have the Democratic handbook ready for distribution within the next week or ten days. There are one or two of the more important articles for the handbook that are just being completed now for the printers. The greater part of the book is in type and proof read.

A charter is issued for the Independent Telephone Company, of Graham, Alamance county, capital $50,000 authorized and $300 subscribed by W. J. Ward and others for an exchange in the town of Graham and rural service throughout the county.

A commission was issued to Dr. A. E. Worham, of Spencer, as a first lieutenant in the dental corps of the North Carolina National Guard. He succeeds Dr. S. R. Horton, of Raleigh, who resigned from the corps.

MONEY PICKED UP IN RIVER

Johnston County Man Gets $2,800 Out of Old Rosin Beds.

Smithfield, N. C., Aug. 3.—Johnston county folk are much intereste din the good fortune that has come to Joseph W. Darden, of Kenly, by selling out a rosin bed at Lowell Mill in Beulah. This rosin bed has just turned over to its owner $2,800 without any work on his part. This is a case of money picked up in a river.

Between eighty and ninety years and there were two turpentine stills run in the eastern part of Johnston county on a place now owned by J. W. Darden. This was at Lowell where a cotton yarn factory was run years ago. These stills were situated about fifty yards from Little river on the highest ground around there. Between there and the river was a narrow strip of a level piece of land which was lower than where the stills stood, but several feet above the water of the river. At that time there was a good demand for spirits of turpentine, but very little demand for rosin. So both stills poured their rosin down the hill on this level land. Thousands of barrels were placed there. During the last days of the war when the Yankees came through this county bent on destruction they set fire to this rosin. They made one of the biggest fires ever seen in that section and burned up much of the rosin. While the rosin was burning part of it ran down into the river, having melted by the fire. When the water was low the rosin could be seen in the river bed. About five years ago a man came to see Mr. Darden about this rosin. His first offer for it was a hundred dollars, but later he offered more. Mr. Darden did not sell to him, but afterwards had some others to look at the rosin and got an offer of one thousand dollars for it. Finally a firm offered to get up and ship this rosin for one-fourth of it. The rosin brought him $2,800.

MILLIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT.

Another Big Hydro-Electric Power Plant on Yadkin River.

Baltimore, Aug. 3.—Southern industrial announcements of the past week include important and extensive enterprices requiring large investments. They are detailed in this week's Manufacturers Record, which refers to plans for another water power development on the Yadkin river in North Carolina at a cost of several million dollars, a Georgia meat packing company capitalized at $1,000,000, a $700,000 hydro-electric plant corporation, a $200,000 soda-ash factory, a $150,000 meat packing plant in Georgia, another similar enterprise to be capitalized at $75,000 in that state, a $50,000 dynamite factory for the Joplin mining district, etc.

From the details of the numerous reports are taken the following facts:

Carolina Power & Light Co., Raleigh, N. C., is reported as preparing to undertake construction of hydro-electric plant on Yadkin river, 10 miles below Badin, N. C., at cost of several million dollars.

Lest you forget what the best medicine for Summer sickness is, buy a bottle of Dr. SETH ARNOLD'S BALSAM, and be ready for any sudden attack. Warranted by Elvington's Pharmacy.

"Where Are My Chickens?"

See the chicken chase at the police picnic at Lumina Wednesday, August 9th.

BIG DAY FOR WAYNE'S AGRICULTURAL CLUBS

Addresses and Demonstrations Feature Event at Goldsboro.

Boys' and Girls' Clubs of County Participate in Big Rally, Attended by Many From All Over the County.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 3.—A feature of today's meeting of the Wayne County agricultural clubs was the picnic dinner served at the noon hour, a spread in copious abundance from the baskets of the attendants, a feast indulged in by several hundred guests. After dinner the club members and the crowd in general assembled in the court house auditorium where they listened to just the kind of talks they were most in need of from Mr. D. H. Winslow, of Washington, D. C., on Good Roads and County Maps, and from Mr. George Reese, farm products agent of the Southern Railway, on where and how to ship all kinds of farm and dairy products.

He was followed by Mr. T. E. Browne in a brief, practical talk on the purpose and work of the county agricultural clubs, of which he is organizer for the State, and he soon had a full pledged club organized for Wayne county and urged this new club to hold regular meetings and to make exhibits at the Wayne county and State fairs. Every township and almost every rural school district was represented by canning club girls, corn club and pig club boys, all having had a most satisfactory and profitable as well as pleasant conference.

With a clear sky, this has been a big day for the agricultural clubs of Wayne county, hundreds of visitors being here for the big celebration. The demonstrations began promptly at 10 o'clock on the court house square, opening with a canning demonstration by the Wayne County Canning Club girls, who demonstrated their ability in the art of canning corn, butter beans, peas, tomatoes and beans.

Mrs. Lillian W. Capehart, of Oxford, next demonstrated the process of making mint jelly from orange pectin, followed by Miss Effie Vines, of Tarboro, explaining the fireless cooker.

The welcome address to the agricultural clubs was then made by Col. Jos. E. Robinson, chairman of the county board of education, in behalf of the city of Goldsboro. He received close attention throughout his address, which was highly instructive and interesting.

Following Colonel Robinson short addresses were made by Mr. L. N. Grant, president of the Goldsboro chamber of commerce; Mrs. Jane McKimmon, of Raleigh, State home demonstration agent, and Mr. T. E. Browne, of Raleigh, State agent of boys' agricultural clubs.

Following these addresses the entire assemblage was extended an invitation to visit the Crystal moving picture theatre where free pictures were furnished by the Department of Agriculture, through the courtesy of the theatre.

These agricultural clubs are under the patronage of the county board of education and the State Board of Agriculture and their coming together here today was for the purpose of making exhibits of their work under the supervision of Mrs. Estelle Smith, of this city, who is conjointly employed by these two boards, and who has achieved wonderful success in the comparatively brief time she has been organizing the clubs and promoting the work in this county.

WORD FROM CARRANZA EXPECTED VERY SOON

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eign office today that Luis Gabrera, Ygnacio Bonillas and Alberto Pani have been selected as the commissioners to negotiate with the United States commissioners regarding the questions at issue between Mexico and the United States. The commission will be headed by Senor Cabrera and Juan B. Rogo will act as secretary.

Luis Cabrera is Carranza's minister of finance and leader of the administration party. Ygnacio Bonillas is under secretary of communications. He left Mexico City July 31, bound for New York. Alberto J. Pani is president of the National Railways of Mexico.

Although the names of the Mexican commission were announced the text of General Carranza's acceptance of the conference has not yet been made public here. It is understood that the Mexican ambassador at Washington will complete the arrangements for the conference with reference to time and place, and it is said that any place satisfactory to the United States will be satisfactory to Mexico.

Senor Bonillas already is en route to New York, and the departure of Senors Cabrera and Pani will not be delayed after the announcement that arrangements have been completed. Both of them today declined to discuss the proposed procedure of the conference. No indication is given by the foreign office or the first chief as to the reply to the suggestion of the United States on other questions than the withdrawal of the troops and a protocol coverin gthe border, but the general impression among persons in close touch with governmental affairs here is that Mexico will insist that these questions be settled before other issues are discussed.

The commission named today is regarded as exceedingly able.

THOUSANDS IN DUPLIN HEAR HON. T. W. BICKETT

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preparedness, and mentioned the justice of requiring the munitions makers, large corporations and moneyed interests to pay the appropriation for this purpose, in view of the fact that in event of war it was the plain man that risked his life in fighting for his country.

He paid a fine tribute to the Southern woman and to the heroism of the Southern soldier after the war, saying if their fight was glorious their fall was sublime.

Veteran Sam Newton was chairman. Benediction was by Rev. T. W. Lee. Dinner was served to the veterans at the Odd Fellows' hall.

Lumina Open-Air Theatre

Tomorrow night—big five-reel Knickerbocker drama, "Pay Dirt."

TERRORISM OF THE BRITISH INCREASED

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Law of Nations and a breach of the most ordinary tenets of humanity, but as common murder. Countless cases in which British warships have violated international law in their conduct against merchantmen owned by the Central Powers or neutrals cannot be enumerated."

Losses in Warships.

"During the second year of the war the British and their allies lost 22 warships of a total of 266,320 tons, and Germany and her allies ten warships of 82,210 tons. The total losses for the two years of the war are:

"Great Britain and her allies, 49 ships of 562,250 tons, and Germany and her allies 30 ships of 191,321 tons. Of these losses, England alone had 40 ships of 485,220 tons and Germany aline 25 ships of 162,676 tins.

"The British losses comprised 11 battleships, 17 armored cruisers and 12 protected cruisers. The battleships include the Audacious, the loss of which has not yet been officially announced, and a ship of the Queen Elizabeth class. The cruisers include the still contested loss of the Tiger and the destrurtion of an armored rruiser of the Cressy dlass on the night of May 31, which was established by observations from almost the entire German fleet, and and two small cruisers, in the battle of the Skagerrak.

"Furthermore, during the year preceding June 30th, 879 enemy merchantmen of a total of 1,816,782 gross tons were lost as a consequence of war meashres of the Central Powers which brings the total for the war to Jhly 1, to 1,303 enemy merchantmen of 2,574,1 205 tons, not inclsdiny enemy merchantmen confiscated in the harbors of the Central Powers."

BALFOUR CLAIMS JUTLAND BATTLE VICTORY FOR BRITISH

London, Aug. 3.—The first lord of the admiralty, A. J. Balfour, has issued a statement for publication, in the course of which he says:

"The second anniversary of the British declaration of war, provides a fitting opportunity for a brief survey of the naval situation. The consequences, material and moral, of the Jutland battle cannot be easily overlooked, an allied diplomatist assured me that he considered it the turning point of the war.

"The tide which had long ceased to help our enemies began from that moment to flow strongly in our favor. This much at least is true, that every week which has passed since the German fleet was driven damaged into port has seen new successes for the Allies in one part or another of the field of operations. It would be an error, however to suppose that the naval victory changed the situation, what it did was to confirm it.

"Before the Jutland battle, as after, the German fleet was imprisoned. The battle was an attempt to break the bars and burst the confining gates. It failed and with its failure, the high seas fleet sank again into impotence.

"The Germans claim Jutland as a victory, but in essence they admit the contrary, since the object of a naval battle is to obtain command of the sea and it is certain that Germany has not obtained that command, whilst Great Britain has not lost it. Tests of this assertion are easy to apply. Has the grip of the British blockade relaxed since May 31? Has it not, on the contrary, tightened?

"The Germans themselves will admit the increasing difficulty of importing raw materials and foodstuffs and of exporting their manufactures; hence, the violence of their invectives against Great Britain."

Mr. Balfour argues that if they had felt themselves on the way to maritime equality, the Germans would not have so loudly advertised the Deutschland incident, the whole interest of which, in German eyes, was to prove their ability to elude the barrier raised by the British fleet between them and the outerworld. As further proof of the "impotence" of the German fleet, Mr. Balfour points to the ever increasing flow of men and munitions from England, pouring across the channel to France.

The first lord refers to German exhortations to look at the map and see the extent of German successes and adds: "That depends on what maps you take. Even the map of Europe shows an ever shrinking battle line. But look at the map of the world. All shows an ever-shrinking battle line of Germany's colonies are gone except East Africa, which even as I write seems slipping from her grasp. Has the battle of Jutland opened the smallest prospect of Germany regaining these colonies or giving a moment's respite to the hard-pressed colonists in German East Africa?"

DR. MEACHAM PRESIDENT

Asheville Man Heads American Osteopathic Association.

Kansas City, Aug. 3.—Dr. W. Banks Meacham, of Asheville, N. C., was elected president of the American Osteopathic Association today.

New York, Aug. 3.—George Chaney, of Baltimore, who is to meet Johnny Kilbane for the featherweight championship on Labor Day, outboxed Packey Hommey, of this city, in eight rounds of a ten-round bout here tonight. Chaney, weighing 127 pounds, conceded four rounds to his opponent.

HOW TO REDUCE YOUR WEIGHT

A SIMPLE, SAFE, RELIABLE WAY.

People who are over-burdened with superfluous fat, know only too well the discomfort and ridicule that over-stout people have to bear.

If you are carrying around five or ten pounds of unhealthy fat you are unnecessarily weakening your vital organs and are carrying a burden which destroys the beauty of your figure.

There is no need of anyone suffering from superfluous fat. If you want to reduce your weight in a simple, safe and reliable way, without starvation diet or tiresome exercise, here is a test worth trying. Spend as much time as you can in the open air, breathe deeply, and get from Elvington's Pharmacy, or any good druggist a box of oil of korein capsules; take one after each meal and one before retiring at night.

Weigh yourself once a week, so as to know just how fast you are losing weight, and don't leave off the treatment or even skip a single dose until you are down to normal.

Oil of korein is absolutely harmless, is pleasant to take, and helps digestion. Even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, footsteps become lighter, your work seems easier and a lighter and more buoyant feeling takes possession of your whole being.

Every person who suffers from superfluous fat should give this treatment a trial.

RE-OPEN RED CROSS UNITS IN GERMANY AND AUSTRIA

Steps Looking to Shipment of Hospital Supplies to Those Countries.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Red Cross officials announced tonight they had taken steps looking to the shipment of hospital supplies to Germany and her allies by re-establishment of Red Cross units in those countries, the only method by which Great Britain will permit passage of such shipments through her blockade. The Red Cross has asked Germany and Austria through the State ment for permission to send one or two hospital units of six doctors and eight nurses into each of the Central Empires. This permission, Red Cross officials believe, will be granted readily and then funds will be solicited to finance the new units.

COTTON AT 13 1-4 CENTS

Highest Price Since War Commenced Paid at Montgomery, Ala.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 3.—The highest price for cotton here since the outbreak of the European war was reported today when 3,296 bales were sold for 13 1-4 cents per pound, the transaction involving over $200,000.

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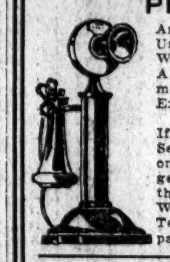

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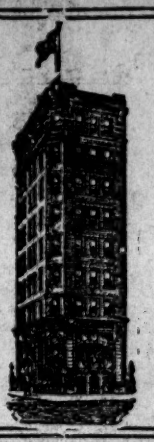

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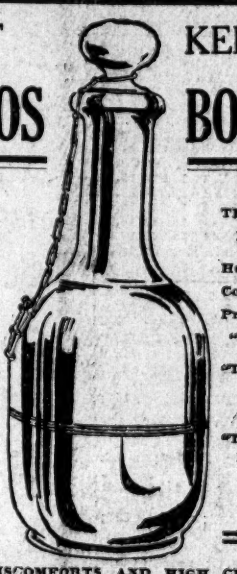

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